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Kani has 2 changes in cabinet

TEHRAN, Sept. 2 (AFP) — Iran's new prime minister, Hojatoleslam Muhammad Reza Mahdavi Kani, Wednesday made public his cabinet list, which includes only two changes from the previous government. Kani, formerly interior minister and named prime minister to replace the slain Muhammad Javad Bahonar, nominated Kamal ddiene Nikravesh to fill his old position.

Hadi Nejad Hosseini, who parliament named down for a post in the last government, was nominated for the transportation portfolio.

The Majlis (parliament) was scheduled to vote on the nominations Thursday. It has not yet decided if they will vote on the list as a unit, or call up each nominee separately.

The rapid appointments to the cabinet seemed intended to prove that the Islamic republic could survive the deaths of its founding fathers, Kani and Prime Minister Muhammad Javad Bahonar, killed in a bomb attack. Observers said that the cabinet is publicly behaving according to an official credo that martyrdom regenerates the revolution.

The official declarations, including newspaper and broadcast commentaries, are exalting the martyr's thirst for the way of God, with newspapers dramatizing their leaders' deaths with splashes of red ink on the front page.

The English language newspaper *Kayhan International* told its readers it was the will of a Muslim man to be submerged in an ocean of blood. "We are 36 million Rajas," the words chanted Tuesday during the ceremony held at the University of Tehran to mourn the bomb attack victims. According to official tallies, Islamic prosecutors reacted to the bombing with 55 executions — a number that observers said was relatively moderate by local standards. Some had expected greater vengeance, but revolutionary guide Ayatollah Khomeini Tuesday counseled restraint.

Saudi, Sabah meet Assad

DAMASCUS, Sept. 2 (R) — The foreign ministers of Saudi Arabia and Kuwait visited Syrian President Hafez Assad at the Mediterranean resort of Lattakia Wednesday before meeting in Beirut on the Lebanese situation.

Official sources said Prince Saud al Faisal I Sheikh Sabah al Ahmad al Sabah were accompanied by Syrian Foreign Minister Abdul Halim Khaddam.

The talks came on the eve of a scheduled meeting in Beirut of the Arab League follow-up committee, which also includes Assad Secretary-General Cheddi Klibi, to discuss peace in Lebanon. Klibi also arrived Damascus Wednesday on his way to Lebanon.

The Saudi Arabian and Kuwaiti ambassadors in Lebanon are in Damascus to brief their foreign ministers before Thursday's meeting.

The committee's meetings will also be attended by Lebanese Premier and acting foreign minister Shafiq Wazzan, Syrian Foreign Minister Khaddam and Cheddi Klibi.

Meanwhile in Beirut, Lebanese Finance Minister Ali al Khalil announced Wednesday that Kuwait has paid Lebanon \$30 million, representing about half the amount pledged aid for the war-stricken country for \$1. He was speaking to reporters after a weekly cabinet session chaired by President Kib.

King receives awara message

TAIF, Sept. 2 (SPA) — King Khaled, Wednesday received a message from President Danjuma Jawara of Gambia. It was delivered by visiting Gambian Foreign Minister Mune Kite.

The King also received Wednesday the journals of Simon Ansoer, the new ambassador of Rwanda to Saudi Arabia and Mexico's ambassador Francisco Gonzalez de la Cruz in separate ceremonies.

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Japan approves plan Mitsui to withdraw from Iranian project

TOKYO, Sept. 2 (AP) — The Japanese government has approved the withdrawal of the Mitsui Group from its \$5.17 billion petrochemical project in southern Iran, signaling an end to Japan's largest and most troubled foreign investment project.

The ministry of international trade and industry (MITI) reportedly switched its stance on the project, which has been repeatedly balked since it began in 1973, and agreed to cover the Mitsui Group's losses under its export insurance program.

Mitsui, a major trading conglomerate and Iran's partner in the project, could make a claim for as much as \$43.4 million, the papers said.

A senior MITI official denied that a final decision has been made, but MITI head Rokusuke Tanaka indicated the shift in government policy at a press conference Tuesday. "We're concerned about the situation in Iran and MITI will respect the decision of the Mitsui Group on how it plans to deal with the Iran-Japan petrochemical project," he said.

The sprawling plant at Bandar Khomeini, now 85 percent complete, was upgraded to a national project in October 1979 but has been affected by political turmoil in Iran and the Iran-Iraq war.

The deputy director of MITI's economic cooperation division, Toshifumi Hirai, in a telephone interview Wednesday denied that MITI had officially changed its policy on petrochemical project. "Formally, our basic policy of supporting this project has not changed," he said. "But...there have been so many newly-born difficulties, especially the Iran-Iraq war, that there are some people here who want to change the policy."

Japan's part in the construction of the complex began in November 1977. It was halted in March 1979 due to the Iranian revolution, forcing Japanese technicians to leave the country.

Against National Enquirer

Cary Grant files \$10m suit

HOLLYWOOD, Sept. 2 (AP) — Actor Cary Grant has filed a \$10 million lawsuit against the *National Enquirer* over a story that claimed he was forced into his fifth marriage. Grant, 77, becomes the latest in a list of celebrities — including Shirley Jones, Richard Pryor, Ed McMahon and Paul Lynde — who have suits pending against the Florida-based *Enquirer*.

In March the tabloid lost its first libel case, a \$1.6 million suit by actress Carol Burnett. A higher court later cut the award in half.

The suit filed Friday by Grant and his wife, former publicist Barbara Harris Grant, 30, contends a May 12 *Enquirer* article titled, "The Untold Story: Why Cary Grant Married Again," was false and defamatory. The

tabloid and the writer of the article, Allan A. Zullo, were named as defendants.

The Grants' personal attorney, Sorrell Trope, said he had demanded a retraction, but got no response from the *Enquirer*.

"The idea that their relationship was created out of anything other than romantic love is factually false," Trope said. The couple was married last April 12 in an unannounced ceremony after dating for more than four years, he said.

Trope said the substance of the article was that Mrs. Grant was embarrassed by their three-year live-in relationship "in the presence of all their social friends, including Frank Sinatra, Ronald Reagan, Princess Grace and Gregory Peck."

GCC vows closer ties

Agrees joint defense vital

By Paul Eedle

TAIF, Sept. 2 (R) — Six Gulf Arab states decided Wednesday on closer political cooperation, including joint security measures, to safeguard stability in the Gulf. They also declared support for a Saudi Arabian formula for peace in the Middle East.

The foreign ministers of Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, the United Arab Emirates (UAE), Qatar, Oman and Bahrain announced the decisions after three days of talks in Taif, their first policy-making session since the six countries formed the Gulf Cooperation Council in May.

Foreign Minister Prince Saud al-Faisal told a news conference the Six had agreed on steps to increase political and security cooperation. The announcements suggested progress had been made on the issue of security after months of debate. The reference to increased cooperation came immediately after a thinly-veiled attack on a recent alliance between Libya, Ethiopia and South Yemen, all of them have close links with the Soviet Union.

The statement said the ministers discussed the attempts by other powers to build up positions in the Gulf area to threaten its security and sovereignty.

It condemned them as a danger to the region and its people aimed at securing influence in the area for foreign powers. The Sultanate of Oman, has openly denounced the treaty of friendship and cooperation signed by the three radical states in Aden last month.

The GCC states, resolutely opposed to any foreign presence in the area, were convinced that economic cooperation in a grouping similar to the European Common Market would be the best defense against internal and external threats.

Asked whether Oman had wanted a direct condemnation of the Aden treaty, Prince Saud said Oman had a particular opinion on the issue but the Six had decided they did not have enough information about the precise



PRESS CONFERENCE: Foreign Minister Prince Saud Al Faisal gives a press conference Wednesday after the Gulf Cooperation Council ended its meeting in Taif. Secretary General of the GCC Abdallah Bishara is seen at the right of Prince Saud.

provisions of the pact.

Prince Saud added that what had been made public about the treaty raised serious questions and doubts. The six ministers endorsed a statement of principles for a Middle East peace announced by Crown Prince Fahd last May and said the Gulf states would try to rally other Arab countries to the formula at a summit meeting scheduled for November in Riyadh.

Prince Fahd listed eight principles, including establishment of an independent Palestinian state and the right of all countries in the region to live in peace, and demanded that the United States should recognize the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO).

Prince Saud said Wednesday the Saudi Arabian formula was not a negotiation position but a statement of principles reflecting previous Arab decisions.

"Perhaps the only novel thing about it is that (the principles) are grouped in one statement," he said.

The foreign ministers, who meet every three months as a key part of the Gulf Cooperation Council framework, approved an agreement drafted by finance ministers which will be the first practical step to integrate the economies of the six states.

Dacko remains free

Kolingba forms panel

BANGUI, Central African Republic, Sept. 2 (AP) — The general who staged the Central African Republic's latest coup is a military man with a good reputation among his troops, French and African government sources said Wednesday.

The sources also said a change of power in the trouble-ridden Central African Republic had been expected for months and that the impoverished nation's bloodless coup Tuesday had produced no serious signs of alarm.

Radio reports in Bangui, the dusty Central African capital, said ousted President David Dacko remained free Wednesday and that Gen. Andre Kolingba headed a 23-member military committee that would govern the country.

Over Radio Bangui, Kolingba announced his military committee of national redress would hold on to power until an "opportune moment" to return the government to civilian authorities. Immediately after the army took power, Kolingba had suspended the nation's year-old constitution as well as the activities of all political parties. There was no word on Radio Bangui about when a new constitution would be formed or the future of political parties.

The coup in the Central African Republic, one of the world's 10 poorest countries, was not an unfamiliar occurrence. Dacko had assumed power in a French-backed coup 23 months earlier from his cousin, self-styled emperor Jean-Bokassa.

Bokassa's 14-year regime in the former French colony ended with charges that he participated in the massacre of schoolboys and engaged in bizarre cannibalistic rites.

Dacko, 51, agreed to resign because of health reasons, according to Radin Bangui, French government officials said Dacko had been ill for some time. The former president remained at his farm in Mokinda, about 100 kilometers (62 miles) from the capital, and under formal arrest. French sources said.

Foreign ministry officials described Kolingba as a career military man who served with the French colonial army before independence. He was the country's ambassador to Canada from 1975 to 1979 when he was called back home by Dacko to serve as army chief of staff.

Bangui was calm and the airport and stores were still open. There was no state of emergency declared. Radio Bangui broadcast military music and assurances that there would be no looting.

Sources here said the general feeling in the city was that Dacko's departure was viewed favorably and that the populace was waiting to see how Kolingba's military committee will handle an awesome amount of problems that include an empty national treasury, a ruined economy and hospitals in need of medical supplies.

"It's the first time in Africa that things have gone so smoothly and that no-one has been arrested following a coup d'etat," one student remarked, adding that he did not really see the change as a coup.

It was more of a "straightforward handing



WITH HITLER: Albert Speer, right, meets with Adolf Hitler at Nuremberg in this 1937 photo. Speer, one of Nazi Germany's most powerful men, died Tuesday in London at the age of 76.

After interview on BBC Hitler's aide, Speer, dies

LONDON, Sept. 2 (R) — Albert Speer, Hitler's armaments minister during World War II, died Tuesday night after suffering a stroke during a visit to London, a spokesman for St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington, said.

Speer, 76, spent 20 years in Pandau prison in Berlin for war crimes. His memoirs, published after his release, were probably the best-known German account of the Nazi Germany. He was in London for a television interview with the British Broadcasting Corporation, which took place in the morning. The subject was "The Litz File" — about a cultural center which Hitler planned in his home town in Austria and for which he looted art works from Nazi-occupied countries.

Speer was a young architect who designed the grandiose setting of the Nazi rallies in Nuremberg and became a trusted personal friend of Adolf Hitler. As armaments minister, he controlled more than 80 percent of the country's war industry and was credited with trebling aircraft production.

Unlike other leading Nazis, he admitted

guilt at the allied war crimes tribunal in Nuremberg in 1946. He served his full sentence to the day, emerged in 1966 in much better health than other imprisoned war criminals and settled in Heidelberg with his wife and six children.

According to his memoirs, Speer planned, in the closing days of the war, to kill Hitler by injecting poison gas into the dictator's Berlin bunker. The plan failed, he wrote, because the ventilation shafts had, by chance, been closed up.

The hospital spokesman said Speer was unconscious when he was brought to the hospital after collapsing at his west London hotel Tuesday afternoon. He did not regain consciousness, the spokesman said. Speer was not accompanied by any relatives and his widow was believed to be in West Germany, the spokesman added.

A BBC spokesman said of his interview: "It was a very amenable interview and Speer showed no sign of strain."

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Sewage networks to be linked Water projects cleared

DAMMAM, Sept. 2 (SPA) — The Eastern Province Water and Sewage Department will handle the implementation of the drinking water network projects in Jubail, Seehat and Al-Awwamah, the Eastern Province Environmental Health Committee decided here Wednesday. The committee met under Abdul Rahman Al-Shuhayyel, the area's director for municipal and rural affairs and

president of the committee. The committee held the view that the water and sewage department was qualified for this task after undertaking the projects' technical studies. It also decided to link the sewage networks of six villages of Qasim to the major project currently under implementation by the Ministry of Municipal and Rural Affairs, to cover the whole Qatif area.

Arab chambers to meet Sept. 7

DAMMAM, Sept. 2 (SPA) — Sheikh Ismail Abu Daoud, president of the board of Saudi Arabia's chambers of commerce and industry, will leave for Mogadishu Sunday to attend the 54th session of the Arab Federation of Chambers of Commerce, Industry and Agriculture, to be held Sept. 7 to 8. He will be accompanied by representatives of Damman, Riyadh, Jeddah, Makkah and Ahsa chambers.

High on the agenda is the conference of Arab investors as well as financial and administrative issues. The delegations will then visit Kenya from Sept. 11-14, to discuss economic relations with Kenya's chamber and examine the possibility of establishing a joint Saudi-Kenyan chamber.

Other topics dealt with by the committee included the drinking water shortage at Ahsa. It requested the ministry to urgently secure and install deep pumps for the wells already dug by the committee at Jabal Abu Ghayma. It also decided to urge Jafar rural complex of Ahsa to find a speedy solution to the flooding of Gasha village by sewage waters. Moreover, the committee agreed with the department to entrust the contractor in charge of Ahsa's sewage project to work out the necessary arrangements to pump out the stagnating water into the drainage canals of the agriculture ministry, as a provisional measure, pending the implementation of the integrated sewage project.

The committee reviewed a progress report submitted by technicians on the Khreiji districts and Al-Muaybad sewage project in Damman and took steps to prevent traffic jams in those districts and, at the same time, avoid impeding the work of the contractor.

Prayer Times

Thursday	Makkah	Medina	Riyadh	Dammam	Buraidah	Tabuk
Fajr	4:40	4:38	4:10	3:55	4:20	4:48
Dhuhur	12:20	12:21	11:52	11:39	12:03	12:33
Assr	3:45	3:49	3:21	3:09	3:34	4:05
Maghreb	6:36	6:39	6:11	5:59	6:23	6:54
Isha	8:06	8:09	7:41	7:29	8:53	8:24

Fahd will chair U session

JEDDAH, Sept. 2 — Crown Prince Fahd will chair Saturday the 12th session of the Senate of the Islamic University at Medina. The meeting will discuss last year's closing accounts and the establishment of a foreign language and Islamic studies institute. It will also review the final touches to the SR7 billion project of creating a university city, whose foundation stone will be laid by King Khaled in

two months' time. *Al Medina* reported Wednesday.

Vice-Rector Dr. Abdullah Al-Zaid said that a committee will soon meet under Interior Minister Prince Naif to examine the designs of the university city project.

The first phase of the project was commissioned to an international firm in association with a number of national companies.

IDB signs pact with Dacca

JEDDAH, Sept. 2 (SPA) — The Islamic Development Bank (IDB) signed an agreement here Wednesday under which it will help Bangladesh purchase \$12 million worth

of cement from Indonesia. The agreement was signed by Dr. Ahmed Muhammad Ali, IDB president, and Muhammad Mufid-ur-Rahman of Bangladesh Trading Corporation.

During 1981, the IDB financed Bangladesh government's foreign trade activity to the tune of IDB 48.65 million (\$55 million).

In another development, Dr. Ali received at IDB's headquarters here Wednesday Guinea's Public Works Minister Abraham Keida and his accompanying delegation, now on a visit to the Kingdom.

Attas to attend Khartoum talks

KHARTOUM, Sept. 2 (SPA) — Endowments Undersecretary Amio Aqil Attas will lead Saudi Arabia's delegation to the fifth session of the board of trustees of the Islamic African Center opening here Saturday. The center provides Sharia courses in Arabic and other languages. Twenty-seven students already have graduated from the center set up with Saudi Arabian help.

Test on plant conducted

JEDDAH, Sept. 2 — Tests have been conducted successfully at King Abdul Aziz University to cultivate certain plants with saline water, *Al Medina* reported Wednesday. Prof. Omar Al-Sabbak of the faculty of meteorology and environmental studies said that a seminar will be organized on the subject. He added that in tests, conducted at Bahra, a herb was successfully grown. The faculty will not only import seeds of other plants for similar tests but also animals that live on such plants.

Kingdom announces donation of SR3.65 million for AUB

BEIRUT, Sept. 2 (SPA) — Saudi Arabian Ambassador to Lebanon Sheikh Ali Al-Sbaer intensified his contacts Tuesday with Lebanese public figures to facilitate the mission of the Arab Follow-Up Committee before it opened its two-day meeting Wednesday at ministerial level in Lebanon. He then briefed President Elias Sarkis on his contacts.

During the day, Sheikh Ali also called on the President of the American University here and told him that Saudi Arabia was donating LL 5 million (SR3.65 million) to the university. The Kingdom also gave to Barbere medical center here advanced medical equipment. Dr. Nassim Al-Barbere, the hos-

pital's owner, thanked Saudi Arabia for its constant assistance to welfare projects in humanitarian and scientific fields. He disclosed that Saudi Arabia had also contributed LL300,000 toward the setting up of a Special Hospital. Moreover, the Kingdom gave equipment worth \$500,000 to the medical center.

Shaer also received a delegation representing the Palestinian Consumer Cooperatives in Lebanon and gave its leader a LL200,000 check to help the society fulfill its mission of backing the steadfastness of the Palestinian people in their Lebanese refugee camps.

Red Crescent units gear for Hajj

JEDDAH, Sept. 2 (SPA) — The Red Crescent in the Western Province announced Tuesday that 21 units will serve the pilgrims throughout the holy places this year. They are jointly run by the Saudi Arabian Red Crescent, the Health Ministry, the municipality,

the Public Security and the Justice Ministry. A spokesman said that 18 Red Crescent side centers will also be opened in Mina, Arafat, Makkah, the Jeddah-Makkah expressway, and Khulais off Medina road, in addition to two main centers at Arafat and Mina. They will be open round-the-clock as of the 1st of Zou'l Hijjah. The centers, next to the Holy Haram and along the Makkah-Medina-Jeddah road, will start Thursday.

BRIEFS

JEDDAH, Sept. 2 — Crown Prince Fahd has asked all ministries and government departments to prepare a report on their respective achievements within a specific period, in accordance with development plan ratios, *Al-Riyadh* reported Wednesday. The reports for the first half of this year must be ready before the end of the financial year to be submitted to the Council of Ministers.

JEDDAH, Sept. 2 (SPA) — Mayor Muhammad Said Farsi Tuesday opened the painting exhibition of three Saudi Arabian artists: Taha Sabban, Abdullah Nawawi and Ali Al-Ghamdi. Paintings by the three artists depict the Saudi Arabian environment and traditions. The opening ceremony was attended by artist Abdul Halim Rizwi, director of the Jeddah branch of the Saudi Arabian Culture and Arts Society which patronizes the exhibition.

JEDDAH, Sept. 2 — Jeddah's streets will be painted in bright colors, *Al-Riyadh* reported Wednesday. The municipality, with the help of the traffic department, will change the streets' color from the traditional black to bright colors such as blue to embellish the city. The first street to undergo such a change was King Abdul Aziz street. The idea was adopted only after several tests had been conducted successfully.

JEDDAH, Sept. 2 — Prince Turki ibn Abdul Aziz will cover the treatment expenses of five girls who had had an accident in front of Nova Park hotel here 10 days ago, *Al-Bilad* reported Wednesday. The five girls had been rushed to Sollman Faqih Hospital near the scene of the accident. The hospital director contacted the prince and obtained his approval. Meanwhile the prince also donated SR50,000 toward the hospital's approval. Meanwhile the prince also donated SR50,000 toward the construction cost of a mosque in Boston.

TAIF, Sept. 1 (SPA) — Al-Forusia Club held the fourth racing event of the season at Al-Hawiyah race track here Monday under

Training course opens next month

AL-KHOBAR, Sept. 2 (SPA) — A three-week training course for women, holding secondary school certificates and wishing to be in charge of kindergartens, will open here on Oct. 19. The courses are organized by the Gulf women's Society.

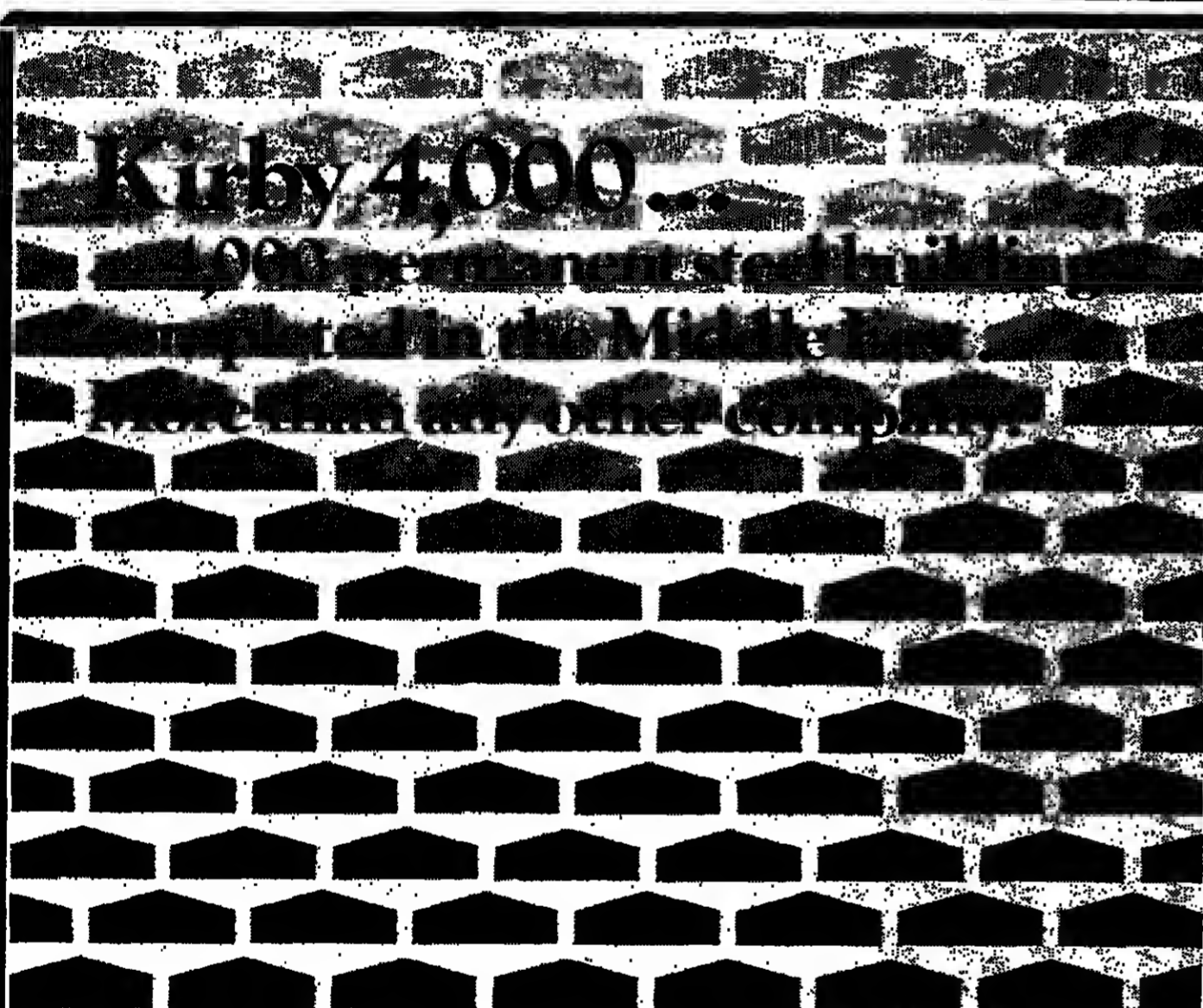
Another course on first aid will follow. The society also provides English and Arabic language courses for non-Arabic speaking students. It also provides six-month typing and dress-making courses.

A new SR10 million headquarters for the society will be banded over by the contractor at the end of October. The three-story building, which includes lecture hall for 350 persons, is at present being furnished and will contain advanced audio-visual equipment.

Iran names new envoy

By a Staff Writer

JEDDAH, Sept. 2 — The Embassy of the Islamic Republic of Iran here announced the appointment of Muhammad Fakhray as the Charge d'Affaires of the embassy. Fakhray replaces Asghar Nahavandini and began his duties Aug. 24, an embassy spokesman told *Arab News*.



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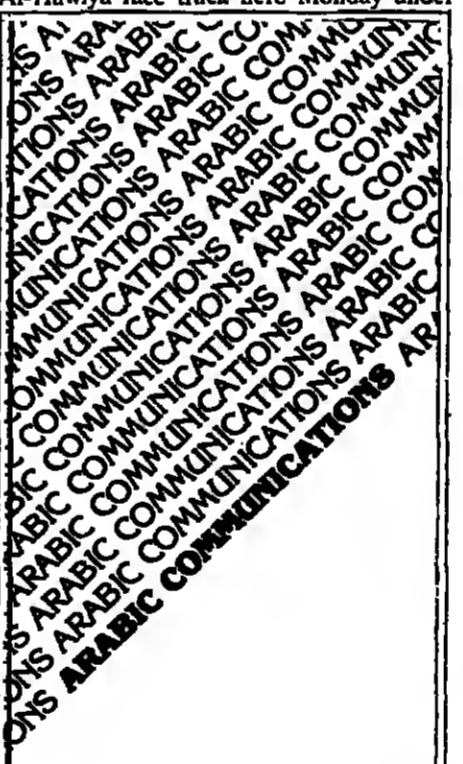
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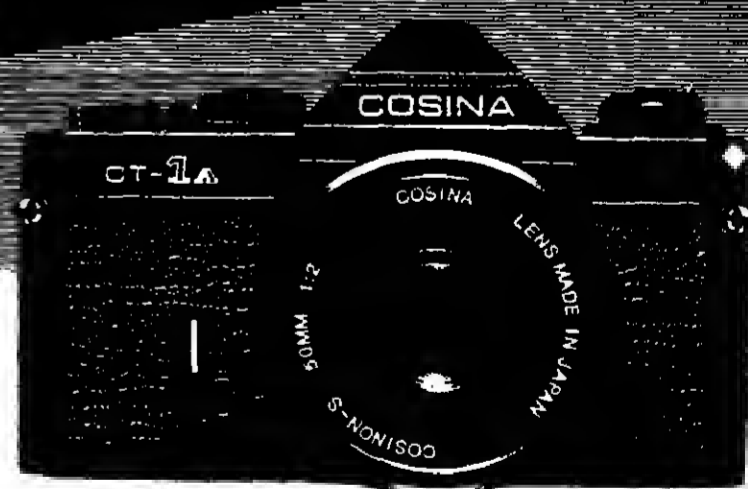
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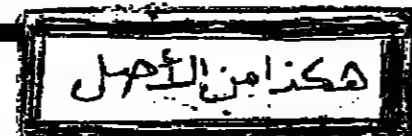
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On Israeli sacrilege

Jihad called on Al-Aqsa issue

AMMAN, Sept. 2 (Agencies) — Sheikh uhammad Shakra, director of El-Aqsa mosque in east Jerusalem, Wednesday called for a "Jihad" — holy struggle — to liberate territory occupied by Israel and Islamic holy sites.

He said recent Israeli archaeological excavations under the mosque had only brought light relics from the Omayyad Abbasid and Umayyad eras. His call follows the clash between Palestinians and Jews Tuesday in an ancient tunnel recently discovered near the mosque, which is Islam's third most Holy site.

Begin to discuss Syrian missiles luring U.S. visit

TEL AVIV, Sept. 2 (AFP) — Prime Minister Menachem Begin plans to remind United States President Ronald Reagan that Israel is waiting for Syria to remove its surface-to-air missiles from Lebanon, sources close to Begin said Wednesday.

Other items to be discussed include Palestinian autonomy in the occupied areas, U.S. economic and military aid to Israel and other developments in the Middle East, the sources said.

Zia reiterates stand on Kabul

KARACHI, Sept. 2 (AFP) — President Zia ul-Haq Wednesday reiterated Pakistan's stand on the desirability of seeking a political settlement of the Afghan war through tripartite talks also taking in the representatives of the Afghan ruling party under United Nations auspices.

At a press conference here, he said that Pakistan would not compromise on its principled stand on the Afghan issue, but would continue to seek a tripartite political settlement under the U.N. aegis. He noted that efforts were going on at the international level and the encouraging factor was that the present Afghan administration as well as the Soviet government had shown a desire to settle the matter.

The president said that Pakistan, which shelters 2.4 million Afghan refugees, was the country most affected by events in Afghanistan. Yet Pakistan would not forsake its principles. President Zia said Pakistan desired only normalization, but good relations with India, Pakistan's foreign policy aimed at friendly relations with all its neighbors and ties with Iran were already very firm.

BRIEFS

ALGIERS (AP) — Tunisian Premier uhammad Mzali arrived Wednesday for a working visit with his Algerian counterpart uhammad Benhamud, the official Algerian news agency reported. Meetings between the heads of government of the two north African nations take place twice a year and are designed to improve bilateral relations.

KARACHI (R) — A Pakistani court has sentenced a bus driver, Allah Bux, 24, to be hanged to death for having sex outside marriage. But the sentence, the first of its kind in Pakistan, is unlikely to be carried out after a federal shariat (religious) court decision this year that death by stoning was neither appropriate nor Islamic punishment in such cases.

ALGIERS (AP) — Floodwaters killed 43 persons and injured at least 50 others early Wednesday in the town of El Eulma, officials said. About 30 children were among the fatalities. Early reports said 15 houses were destroyed and 380 families were left homeless, according to the Algerian news agency APS.

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"one of the most venerated holy places of Islam" The Islamic Council is sure that it is damaged by digging. The grand rabbis believe that the tunnel lead to the foundations of a Jewish temple.

Tuesday night's clash was the most serious one between Muslims and Jews over rights to the holy places in Jerusalem in several years. About 20 Palestinian youths broke into an area under Jewish supervision to block the entrance to the cave rabbis were excavating, the radio said.

Last week, the rabbis began clearing the entrance, believing it could be a tunnel leading to a site where the temple of the Jews stood. Archaeologists claimed the opening led to a water cistern and was insignificant.

To the Muslims the Temple Mount is the holiest site in Jerusalem, encompassing the Mosques of Omar and Al Aqsa. In the past,

they have viewed any archaeological excavations there as an infringement on their religious rights to the site. The Palestinian youths entered the tunnel from a side entrance on the Temple Mount and started stacking rocks where a partition had obstructed the entrance to the cave until the clearing operation began, the radio said. A group of Jewish seminary students then all descended on the site to stop them a scuffle broke out. Five Jews were arrested after they attacked police who arrived to disperse the crowd, the radio said.

After a campaign of violence by ultra-orthodox Jews, excavations into an area in old Jerusalem were halted Wednesday.

Education Minister Zevulun Hammer, under heavy pressure from chief Rabbi Shlomo Goren, ordered a two-week suspension of work at the dig site until he received a legal report from the attorney general.

U.S. disowns envoy's dig at Begin

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP) — The departing U.S. ambassador to Syria was "not speaking for the administration" when he said a Middle East peace is unlikely while Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin is in office, the U.S. State Department said Tuesday.

The outgoing ambassador, Talcott W. Seelye, also said in an interview Monday that the Reagan administration should abandon the Camp David peace process and exchange views with the Palestine Liberation Organization. "Ambassador Seelye

was not speaking for the administration. He was reflecting his own personal views They do not reflect our policy," said Dean Fischer, the State Department spokesman.

Fischer noted that Seelye is "retiring after a long and distinguished foreign service career." In answer to a question, Fischer said the State Department believes a solution to the Palestinian problem, a key to peace in the region, is possible while Begin is in office. Seelye had said Begin was "totally blind" to the Palestinian problem.

PLO denies parleys with Rajavi

BEIRUT, Sept. 2 (R) — The Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO) said Wednesday that one of its senior officials, reported to have met a Paris-based Iranian opposition leader Tuesday, had been in Romania for the past two weeks. An official PLO statement appeared to deny a report by a spokesman for Massoud Rajavi, leader of the Iranian Mojahedeen group, that PLO official Hani Al-Hassan had conferred with Rajavi.

The statement, quoted by the Palestine news agency Wafa, said: "We wish to affirm that Hani Al-Hassan has been on a visit to Romania for the past two weeks for medical reasons." Without mentioning Rajavi, the statement added: "Reports carried by news agencies concerning a statement attributed to Hani Al-Hassan on current events in Iran are pure fabrication."

Speaking in Paris Tuesday, Rajavi's spokesman quoted Hassan as saying after meeting the Mujahedeen leader that he hoped Rajavi would soon meet PLO Chairman Yasser Arafat to discuss among other things "ways of stopping the blood-bath in Iran." Hassan, a former PLO representative in Tehran, is now a close aide of Arafat. The PLO statement said: "We also wish to stress that the Palestinian revolution is keen to maintain its strong relations with the friendly Iranian people and not to interfere in the internal affairs of any friendly or brotherly country."

In Paris, Rajavi's spokesman did not say where the meeting had taken place but the Mujahedeen leader rarely leaves his heavily-guarded home in the village of Auvers-Sur-Oise, north of the French capital. Iranian authorities have blamed the Mujahedeen for a series of violent attacks in recent weeks, including Sunday's bomb blast which killed Iran's president and prime minister.

In Tucson, Arizona, two Iranian students were injured Tuesday in a clash between rival

factions at the University of Arizona, campus police said. University police said two students who identified themselves as opponents of Ayatollah Khomeini were hurt in a lunch-hour fracas at the student cafeteria. There were no immediate arrests. Witnesses said a verbal fight began Monday in the cafeteria, which is popular with both Iranian factions, who usually sit in separate areas. The argument resumed Tuesday, culminating in the two men being knocked to the ground and allegedly beaten by more than 12 pro-Khomeini supporters.

In Washington, Rubin, a Georgetown University scholar said Tuesday deposed Iranian President Abolhassan Bani-Sadr is valuable to Iranian leftists but he is a poor politician and will not be a power in Iran again. "I don't think he has the capacity to take over the country" Barry Rubin, a specialist in Middle East studies, said in an interview analyzing developments in Iran.

Israeli ambassador meets Mitterrand

PARIS, Sept. 2 (AP) — Israeli Ambassador to France Meir Rosenne met with French President Francois Mitterrand for 90 minutes Tuesday but declined to say what was discussed. "I want to inform my government before I inform the press," Rosenne said as he was leaving the Elysee Palace.

Rosenne was referring to Sunday's meeting in Beirut between French External Relations Minister Claude Cheysson and Yasser Arafat. Other sources said Rosenne had been expected to convey Israel's displeasure about the Cheysson-Arafat meeting during his discussion with Mitterrand. The sources also said Rosenne had been expected to re-extend an invitation for Mitterrand to visit Israel.

4 hijackers sent to jail for 3 years

VIENNA, Sept. 2 (R) — Four Turkish leftists who hijacked a Turkish airliner to Bulgaria last May were Tuesday sentenced to three years imprisonment each after a two-day trial in Sofia, the official Bulgarian news agency BTA announced.

The four, named as Ekrem Kilic, Celyal Aytan, Ahmad Balkan and Cem Gulsoy, belonged to a Turkish group called Deve-Sol (revolutionary left). They hijacked a Turkish Airlines DC-9 to the Bulgarian Black Sea resort of Burgas May 24. They threatened to kill five American bankers on board the plane and to blow it up unless the Turkish government released 47 prisoners in Turkey and paid a ransom of \$500,000.

The hijack ended without loss of life or serious injury after more than 30 hours when Bulgarian police lured two of the hijackers out of the plane and the passengers overpowered the other two. All four pleaded guilty, BTA said.

Jewish emigration from Russia drops

MOSCOW, Sept. 2 (AP) — The number of exit visas granted to Jews seeking to emigrate from the Soviet Union plunged to a new five-year low in August, extending a sharp downward slide that began the month before, informed Western sources reported Tuesday.

The source, who asked not to be identified, said about 400 Jews received permission to leave the country last month. Some 600 Jews were granted visas in July — the previous low for the five-year period. During the peak emigration month of October, 1979, more than 4,800 Jews left the Soviet Union. Even in 1975, when Jewish emigration during the year reached its lowest point of about 13,000, the monthly average exceeded 1,000.

Threat to hit bases, ships

U.S. wages new crusade against Islam--Qaddafi

BEIRUT, Sept. 2 (Agencies) — Libyan leader Muammar Qaddafi has accused the United States of leading a new crusade against the Muslims but said it would be courageously resisted, the official Libyan news agency Jana reported.

Col. Qaddafi was addressing a large rally in Tripoli Tuesday to mark the 12th anniversary of Libya's revolution. Referring to last month's clash between Libyan and American aircraft over the Gulf of Sirte in the Mediterranean, Qaddafi said: "Let Muslims everywhere know that America is leading a crusader war." "We will courageously confront the new crusade. We will resist the Sixth and other American fleets. We will face the new crusade and defeat it," Jana quoted Qaddafi as saying.

"America is fighting us because we are Muslims and because it is a crusader. It is leading a crusader campaign. The crusader campaigns stopped in the past but now they will fall under America's leadership."

Qaddafi threatened to strike against U.S. aircraft carriers and bases in Europe if his forces come under attack by the Americans. He went on: "We warn all people on the Mediterranean that if America attacks us in the Gulf of Sirte, we will attack nuclear warheads and nuclear bases. America will be responsible for a nuclear catastrophe in the Mediterranean, one which may take place any time."

Col. Qaddafi specified that his warning was intended especially for Sicily, Crete, Greece and Turkey and Western Europe (where U.S. bases are located).

Qaddafi said the U.S. Sixth Fleet was equipped with nuclear warheads and that "when this fleet attacks us, we will attack the naval units carrying the missiles and others." He added: "If American bases in West Europe and the Mediterranean islands take

part in or support this attack, or if the Atlantic Pact (NATO) backs it, we will have the right in self-defense to attack these bases should we have the means enabling us to reach them."

Accusing the United States of planning to assassinate him and of planning to invade Libya he added: "It is not that simple for America to attack Libya because although it is a small state compared with America, Libya can direct several blows to American aircraft carriers and American bases in Europe and cause serious harm." The Libyan leader also warned Sudan that he would move troops into Chad any time its security was threatened. Libya last year sent several thousand troops into Chad to help President Goukouni Oueddei win a civil war.

He paid tributes to Palestinian Liberation Organization Chairman Yasser Arafat who was among the many foreign leaders at the celebrations. Qaddafi described Egyptian President Anwar Sadat as "the agent who is plotting against the Palestinian people" and said that Arafat and his fellow commando chiefs were the only one who had the right to decide on Palestinian issues. "We wish to tell Sadat and his Israeli and American masters 'You are wasting your time,' he added.

Chadian President Goukouni Oueddei also addressed the rally and expressed appreciation for the backing Libya had given Chad.

Arafat expressed the Palestinian movement's support for Libya. "Any aggression on Libya is one directed against the Arab nation," he added.

Leaders of Madagascar, Nicaragua, Chad and the PLO were present as Qaddafi reviewed a six-hour military parade. Soviet and French-made aircraft streaked across the sky as cadets marched through the streets of the capital.

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U.S. bases vigilant

40 policemen injured in W. Berlin protest

BERLIN, Sept. 2 (Agencies)—More than 40 policemen here injured in violent clashes with masked, helmeted demonstrators in West Berlin Tuesday night, a police spokesman said Wednesday.

The police spokesman said demonstrators broke shop windows along the avenue of Kur Fuerstendamm and in neighboring streets and hurled stones at law officers.

He could give no figure for the number of demonstrators injured, though he said 17 were arrested, and 13 of those would appear in court Wednesday.

Meanwhile, U.S. military officials announced stepped-up security measures, including identification checks and uniformed patrols, at American military installations in the wake of a bombing at the U.S. Air Force's European headquarters.

West Germany's Federal Criminal Office, meanwhile, said there were no further developments in Monday's bombing at the Air Force headquarters at Ramstein Air base, in which 18 Americans and two West Germans were injured.

In Bonn, federal President Karl Carstens deplored the attack, the third against U.S. garrisons in this country this year but the first to cause casualties.

Carstens said in a statement that despite the bombing, most West Germans "remain convinced of the necessity of common defense in the NATO alliance and German-American friendship."

Police said slogans were found painted on walls near Frankfurt's West train station reading: "Ramstein, An Example" in apparent reference to Monday's bombing.

Frankfurt, attackers set fire to the local office of the Social Democratic Party.

SPD officials also reported that an anonymous caller telephoned the Frankfurt home of West Germany Finance Minister Hans Matthofer several times Monday night. Each time the caller said simply: "Watch Out" and hung up, officials said.

The SPD was apparently targeted because of its leading role in the coalition government, which has joined the United States and other NATO members in agreeing to deploy new nuclear missiles in Western Europe by 1983.

But the deployment plan and U.S. President Ronald Reagan's decision to build neutron bombs have fueled a wave of anti-military and anti-American sentiment in West Germany.

Minister 'seized' in Guatemala

GUATEMALA CITY, Sept. 2 (AP)—Kidnappers seized Public Health Minister Roquefimo Recinos, the government said Tuesday night. A government house announcement said "unidentified elements" abducted the cabinet official Monday afternoon but gave no other details.

"The security forces have been instructed to exhaust all means of investigation that the case merits to determine his whereabouts," the announcement said. Recinos had no bodyguards, despite the political violence which claims 200 to 300 lives a month in Guatemala.

Government officials and businessmen have been favorite targets of four leftist groups fighting to topple the government of Gen. Fernando Lucas Garcia while three rightist death squads hunt down university professors, students, priests, labor leaders, leftist politicians and other suspected guerrilla supporters.

With America

Moscow 'willing' for talks

MOSCOW, Sept. 2 (AFP)—The Soviet Union is ready for dialogue with the United States, but does not intend to change its foreign policy, observers said here Wednesday as the Soviet Communist Party newspaper Pravda published a six-month study of Soviet international activities.

"The Soviet Union proposes constructive discussions with the United States, and a search for mutually acceptable solutions to all important questions," Pravda added. But the newspaper also said Moscow's proposals should be weighed differently from Washington's, since the Kremlin would speak on behalf of the entire Socialist community.

Diana visits exhibition

LONDON, Sept. 2 (AP)—Princess Diana, in London for the first time since her July 29 wedding to Prince Charles, Wednesday visited the exhibition of some of her 6,000 wedding presents on display at St. James Palace, Buckingham Palace said.

The 20-year-old princess, who was not accompanied by Charles, toured the exhibition early before its daily opening to the public. A Buckingham Palace spokesman said the princess was on a short private visit to Loodod and would return Thursday to Queen Elizabeth II's holiday home at Balmoral, Scotland. Charles remained at Balmoral.

Indeed, the newspaper said, meetings this summer between Soviet President Leonid Brezhnev and leaders of other Eastern countries allowed the Socialist community to "strengthen its unity and cohesion" and to "coordinate the foreign policy of the fraternal countries."

"Soviet willingness to talk does not mean reduced firmness over Washington's 'dangerous acts,'" Pravda said. "The Socialist countries have everything needed to protect their vital interests. Let nobody be in error on this subject: All necessary measures will be taken."

The article gave observers a clear impression that Poland was among these vital interests. "Imperialist reaction" was largely responsible for the Polish crisis, Pravda charged. Pravda also noted that Warsaw and Moscow were in agreement over Poland, and that Polish party head Stanislaw Kania and Prime Minister Wojciech Jaruzelski had joined Brezhnev in "resolutely condemning...the subversive activities of the enemies of Poland."

Other Kremlin positions also will be unchanged, Pravda appeared to indicate. It mentioned Moscow's advocacy of a freeze on medium-range nuclear weapons in Europe.

Alvarez sworn in as Uruguay president

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Sept. 2 (AP)—Retired Army Commander in Chief Gregorio C. Alvarez took office Tuesday as president of Uruguay, beginning a 3 1/2-year term scheduled to return this small South American nation to civilian rule.

The 55-year-old Lt. Gen. sported a full dress uniform as he swore "to guard and defend the constitution of the republic and the law" during a ceremony held in what used to be the Chamber of Deputies.

Alvarez, the first military president since the armed forces seized power here in 1973, took the oath before the assembled Council of the Nation comprising active generals and admirals and 35 civilian councilors appointed by the military. He replaced Aparicio Meoquez, 76, whose five-year term ended.

Alvarez is expected to revitalize the presidency, which under the three civilians who have held it since 1973 was largely ceremonial. Alvarez, designated by the armed forces

last month and approved by the Council of Nations; said in a speech following the swearing-in:

"This government guarantees that the people will be able to freely inform themselves, mediate and decide on their representation in the political parties and the government that will take office in 1985."

The armed forces have promised elections in 1984 and have recently lifted some of the hundreds of "proscriptions" applied to political activists following the coup. But the military rulers have refused to predict that all proscriptions will be lifted before the elections, leaving open the possibility that party

leaders might not be able to run for office. The generals have stated flatly that Communists will not be allowed to participate. The 1973 coup came at a time when Marxist Tupamaro guerrillas were fighting security forces and trying to incite a widespread rebellion. The armed forces defeated the subversives, who never counted more than a thousand combatants, within a year after taking power.

Alvarez is retaining seven members of Mendez cabinet and has designated five new ministers. Gen. Yamandu Trinidad continues as minister of interior and Estanislao Texeiras keeps his job as foreign minister.

30 states may attend Commonwealth summit

CANBERRA, Sept. 2 (AFP)—Australia expects over 30 heads of government to attend the Commonwealth summit meeting in Melbourne in the first week of October. The agenda is now being prepared, but the more controversial issues are expected to be discussed informally between heads of government outside the main executive meetings. Among these will be an invitation to Pakistan if that country cared to apply for readmission to the Commonwealth.

Australia does not expect any serious disruption of the Commonwealth heads of government meeting by arguments about relations with South Africa. Diplomatic soundings from Canberra indicate that one of the African states wishes the Commonwealth's informality and friendly exchange of views to be overwhelmed by recommitment. An updating of the Gleneagles agreement on sporting links with South Africa is expected to be sought by the Australian delegation.

Government officials said here Wednesday that equally Australia does not expect that recent criticism by the World Council of Churches about its policy toward apartheid will be raised in open session.

The tradition of the Commonwealth meeting is that domestic matters, especially in the host country, are not raised at full executive meetings. There may be discussions on the topic between heads of government. One of the biggest security operations ever seen in the South Pacific is being planned by Australian government officials for the largest gathering of heads of government ever seen in the southern hemisphere.

U.S. surgeons operate baby African elephant

ESCONDIDO, California, Sept. 2 (AP)—Surgeons removed two punctured sections of intestine from a 10-day-old baby African elephant—the first ever born in California—during a seven-hour operation Tuesday at San Diego Wild Animal Park's Hospital.

The 205-pound elephant, named Thor after the Norse God of thunder, was listed in good condition with strong vital signs, spokeswoman Lori Eldridge said. The emergency surgery was made necessary when par doctors found signs that Thor had suffered internal injuries after being gored last Wednesday by a 7,000-pound female elephant.

The attack came 90 minutes after Thor was placed on public display with his mother and six other members of the park's elephant herd. If the animal survives, it will have to be bottle-fed for up to three years. Park officials said it would be one of the first elephants reared by humans "from day-one" in captivity.

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Recognition of leftists

Salvador protests French stand

SAN SALVADOR, Sept. 2 (AP) — The Salvadoran government has delivered protest notes to the French and Mexican representatives here after the two countries published a communique recognizing two leftist coalitions as politically representative forces in the country.

The communique last Friday recognized the Faribundo Martí Front for National Liberation and the Democratic Revolutionary Front, a grouping of leftist political organizations.

The notes were delivered to Gustavo Iruegas Evaristo, charge d'affaires of the Mexican Embassy, and to Nicole Poulleton de Chavez, who represent French interests in El Salvador.

Neither country maintains an ambassador in El Salvador. Many countries have reduced their diplomatic representation here because of political differences of the violence.

Mrs. De Chavez was summoned to the Foreign Ministry, stayed five minutes and left quickly, answering only, "I don't know, I don't know," to questions from reporters. The Mexican representative arrived a few minutes later and stayed only long enough to receive the protest note. He left with the white envelope still in his hand, saying only, "I can say nothing."

Deputy Foreign Minister Dr. Leonel Vides said, "We had delivered to the representatives of the governments of France and Mexico a note in which we manifested the feelings of our government." The texts of the notes were not revealed.

At the United Nations, Salvadoran Ambassador Mauricio Rosales, acting on orders from home, sent a message to Security Council President Jorge Illueca saying the

Franco-Mexican declaration constituted "a per se flagrant violation of the principle of non-intervention in the internal affairs of other nations."

The letter said the communique, issued by Mexican Foreign Minister Jorge Castaneda and his French counterpart Claude Chey-

son, violated the U.N. charter. The communique said leftist opponents of the Salvadoran government should have a say in negotiating "a new internal order" in the war-torn Central American nation. It called for a restructuring of the military and free elections.

Junta leader Hose Napoleon Duarte called the communique "the work of Cuban President Fidel Castro."

The deputy foreign minister said "there is a large distance between belligerency and simple recognition of a political force," but added El Salvador considered the communique "an unfriendly act."

He said the Salvadoran government is not considering a break in diplomatic relations with the two countries. "There is a balance in which there are more positive than negative situations," he said. "This recognition (of the leftists) is only one negative situation."

The Salvadoran government has said it will not negotiate with any forces trying to take power by violence and has asked the left to put down its arms and take part in Constituent Assembly elections scheduled for next March. The assembly is to rewrite the constitution and decide how and when general elections will be held.

The United States, which has supplied \$35 million in military aid to the Salvadoran junta, backs the election plan. The U.S. State Department said it agreed with some points in the communique but opposed what it saw as an effort to end the election process.

Church and human rights groups say rightist-leftist violence here has claimed about 27,000 lives, mostly civilians, since the junta toppled a conservative military government and came to power Oct. 15, 1979.

U.S. identifies Cuba advisers

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP) — Cuban advisers are working side by side with leftist forces battling the ruling junta in El Salvador, the U.S. State Department has said. A department spokesman said Tuesday U.S. intelligence has identified "at least some" Cuban advisers in El Salvador but has no estimates of how many may be present.

Although U.S. officials long have complained that Soviet-bloc arms funneled through Cuba are fueling guerrilla warfare in Cuba the statement was the first actual declaration that Cuban personnel are helping direct operations on the scene.

Secretary of State Alexander Haig raised the possibility that foreign advisers now are in El Salvador at his news conference last Friday. He did not specifically identify the advisers as Cubans.

The State Department noted also that the United States has observed "the presence of some Nicaraguan nationals with the Salvadoran guerrillas over the past year."

ASEAN to seek panel for talks on Cambodia

MANILA, Sept. 2 (AFP) — The five-member Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) is set to ask the United Nations to endorse the creation of an ad hoc team to negotiate with Vietnam on the Cambodia problem.

Philippine Ambassador Leandro Vercelles Wednesday told newsmen the proposed ad hoc negotiating team was approved in an international conference on Cambodia held last July in New York.

Following two-day consultative meetings here, senior political officers of the Philippines, Malaysia, Indonesia, Thailand and Singapore agreed to prepare a draft resolution following up the July conference, Vercelles said.

Outside stepped-up diplomatic moves against the Vietnamese presence in Cambodia, including continued support for Khmer Rouge regime representation in the United Nations, however, no breakthrough in the Cambodian problem is seen, ASEAN officials noted.

The Cambodian issue will likely "lag on", Vercelles said, adding that there has been no change in Vietnam's attitude, particularly its rejection of ASEAN proposals on troop withdrawals and the holding of U.N.-sponsored elections. Similarly, ASEAN sees no compromise. "Our position is positive,"

said the Philippine representative.

Meanwhile, Vietnam Wednesday announced an amnesty for prisoners who have shown progress toward re-education. The Vietnam News Agency (VNA) gave no indication how many prisoners would benefit from the amnesty, which is to mark the Vietnamese National Day.

The measure provides for the release of "those prisoners who have shown sincere desire to mend their ways and clear progress in re-education and who have served at least two-fifths of their terms, and in the case of life imprisonment, at least 10 years." It also provides for a reduction of prison terms for those who have made "continuous progress" in re-education, the agency said.

One analyst said the measure, the latest in a series to mark key party and national dates, would apparently affect only those held on criminal grounds, not the many thousands held in "re-education" camps since the Communist victory in 1975. Hanoi generally avoids referring to those undergoing re-education as prisoners.

Vietnam admits to be still holding about half of the 40,000 people said to have been sent to "re-education" camps in 1975, many of them linked to the U.S.-backed South Vietnamese government led by Nguyen Van Thieu.

BRIEFS

MOSCOW (AP) — The Soviet Union Wednesday opened its third international book fair as Soviet officials defended their decision to bar the display of a handful of books on Jewish and Nazi themes. Large crowds of Soviet citizens poured into the huge exhibition halls in north Moscow, where 160,000 books from 86 nations were displayed.

BRUSSELS (AFP) — South Korean Prime Minister Nam Duck-Woo will visit the Belgian capital on Sept. 9 to 12, Belgian sources here said Wednesday. During his stay, he will meet King Baudouin and Prime Minister Mark Eyskens, the sources said.

CANBERRA (AFP) — Dame Enid Lyons, widow of former Prime Minister

Joseph Lyons, died Wednesday aged 84. One of the most notable public figures in Australia over six decades, Dame Enid was the first woman member of the House of Representatives and the first woman minister in the Australian National Parliament.

KATMANDU (AP) — Indonesian Foreign Minister Dr. Mochtar Kusumaatmadji left here Wednesday for New Delhi, India, en route to North Korea after completing a two-day official visit to the Himalayan kingdom of Nepal.

LOS ANGELES (R) — Dancer Veri-Elen, who starred in a string of film musicals, including Call Me Madam, On the Town and White Christmas, has died here of cancer at the age of 55.

S.E. Asia urged to crack down on opium growers

BANGKOK, Sept. 2 (AFP) — The United States Wednesday called on Southeast Asian countries to crack down on the opium growers and traffickers whose pastel poppies have flooded the West with heroin this year.

Opening a State Department regional narcotics conference, U.S. charge d'affaires in Thailand, Burton Levin, said crop substitution — getting farmers to replace their opium with other cash crops — was not enough. Such schemes were "only effective when the governments are willing and able to take enforcement measures to eradicate poppy fields as a backup to economic incentives," Levin said.

A second reference to the need for stepped-up sanctions was handwritten into the margin of a prepared text for emphasis. Levin was speaking in lieu of the U.S. assistant secretary of state for East Asia and the Pacific, John Holdridge, originally due to give the keynote address.

The three-day conference, attended by more than 40 officials from U.S. embassies in the region plus a special Washington contingent assumes significance because of the bumper, 600-ton opium harvest in Southeast Asia's "golden triangle" late last year.

Levin said the crop had been the biggest in at least six years. He said governments must "move with determination" against the narcotics kingpins of the "golden triangle," a swath of Burma, Thailand and Laos which has again become the world's top heroin producer.

The U.S. charge took note of the difficulties faced in law enforcement in the remote, 60,000 square-mile region, which is roamed by insurgents and largely beyond central governments' control. But he seemed to suggest more could and should be done by local governments, especially in terms of cooperation between themselves.

"The (heroin) problem is not only America's indeed Southeast Asian opium wreak their greatest havoc right here in Southeast Asia. The bulk of the narcotics are used, or misused here," Levin said. U.S. narcotics agents privately bemoan the lack of coordination between Thailand and Burma.

Back home in Arizona

Heart-lung recipient feels fine

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2 (AP) — Mary Gohlke, the world's longest surviving heart-lung transplant recipient, has gone back to her Arizona home feeling "wonderful" after six months of pioneering treatment to keep her body from rejecting the new organs.

"Life is precious," the 45-year-old newspaper advertising executive from Mesa, Arizona, told reporters who gathered at San Francisco International Airport to see her off Tuesday. "No one should ever not want to live."

When she arrived in Phoenix about an hour later, she was greeted by co-workers and other well-wishers. She told them she hoped to return to work part-time soon after some more rest and rehabilitation.

Mrs. Gohlke received the transplanted organs March 9 after Stanford University Hospital doctors decided her own heart and lungs, irreparably damaged by pulmonary

hypertension, could no longer keep her alive.

The surgery that replaced her failing organs with those of a 15-year-old boy killed in a car-bicycle collision was only the fourth such transplant in history and the first in more than 10 years.

Key to the success of the transplant was the use of the drug Cyclosporin A, derived from a fungus, which inhibits the body's efforts to reject the alien organs without a serious reduction in its ability to ward off infection. For the rest of her life, Mrs. Gohlke said, she will have to take the drug.

The Stanford surgical team, led by heart transplant pioneer Norman Shumway and Bruce A. Reitz, has performed two similar operations since Mrs. Gohlke's surgery.

The second recipient, Charles Walker, 30, is doing well. The third patient, Kareo Wilson, 28, died shortly after her operation.

Fuel shortage causes launch snag

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP) — The failure of two satellites to achieve their desired orbits last month has been traced to an engineer's failure to make sure the launch rocket was filled with fuel, the U.S. space agency has said.

"It was simple human error," said Keo Senstad, a spokesman for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Despite the failure to fill the delta rocket's second-stage fuel tank to capacity, the two satellites launched Aug. 3 from the Vandenberg Air Force Base in California did make it into orbit and the scientific experiments they're designed for will not be affected. Sen-

tad said. The mistake in loading fuel simply resulted in the two spacecraft achieving lower orbits than had been planned, the spokesman added.

According to project scientist Robert A. Hoffman, however, the lower-than-expected altitudes could eliminate NASA's option of continuing the experiments for a significant period beyond the initial 13-month program.

The satellites are known as Dynamics explores and are designed to study the interaction of the ionosphere and magnetosphere, two regions above the earth's lower atmosphere that figure in weather forecasting and the transmission of radio waves.

India vetoes appointment of U.S. diplomat

NEW DELHI, Sept. 2 (R) — India has vetoed the appointment of an American diplomat in New Delhi and the U.S. government has remitted by refusing to accept an Indian diplomat in Washington, an Indian government spokesman said Wednesday.

He said India had told the United States the appointment of George Griffin, former No. 2 at the U.S. Embassy in Kabul, as political counselor in New Delhi would not be acceptable.

Answering reporters' questions, he voiced India's resentment over reports that India took the decision prompted by an outside power. "It is incorrect to suggest that views, information pronouncements made by any other country played a part in India's decision," the spokesman said.

He declined to name the senior Indian diplomat barred by the United States who was to take up the post of political counselor at the Indian Embassy in Washington.

The spokesman said India's motivation in refusing Griffin's appointment was to avoid unnecessary friction in bilateral relations with the United States "which we value and have always sought to strengthen." Griffin, an expert on the situation in Afghanistan, has just finished a tour of duty in Kabul. He had also worked at the U.S. mission in Calcutta in 1971 and in New Delhi and Pakistan.

The U.S. State Department said in a statement in Washington that the Indian decision on Griffin was unwarranted. It described Griffin as an "experienced, responsible foreign service officer who had had an outstanding career including many difficult appointments."

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Ethnic Chinese find China difficult

By Michael Rank
LULIANG, China —

Ethnic Chinese refugees who fled from Vietnam to China in the late 1970 are finding life tough in their new home. About 2,000 refugees have been resettled on Luliang state farm in the border province of Yunnan. Many of them complain of poor food, low wages and serious language difficulties as most speak only Vietnamese or one of several Chinese dialects which are of little use in communicating with local people. Many of the young people wish to leave China for the United States or Europe, and make no secret of their disdain for agricultural work on this remote farm. Clad in Western style tee-shirts and jeans sent by relatives who have settled in the West, the youths also resent having to learn Mandarin Chinese at elementary school with children 10 years younger than themselves. About 90 percent of the refugees at Luliang are of Chinese descent and fled Vietnam in April 1978. "I fled with my wife and six children and left everything I owned behind. I had to leave because they were going to arrest me as a spy," said former packhorse driver Chung Tang-tien. "In Vietnam each person in my family earned the equivalent of 21 yuan (\$11.7) a month. Here we earn eight yuan (\$4.50). We are glad to be here but life is hard." "We hardly get any meat and the fish we can buy are so small they are hardly worth eating," a woman complained. A former textile worker, one of the few refugees who spoke good Mandarin and who now worked in the farm's legal affairs office, said his present wage was 31 yuan (\$17) monthly compared with 80 yuan (\$44.50) in Vietnam. The authorities frankly admit the refugees are having severe difficulties adjusting to their new life, especially as most of them were small traders rather than peasants in Vietnam and are unused to agricultural work.

Deputy farm director Deng Xiaobo, who came to China from Burma in the mid-1960s, said the state had provided four million yuan (\$2.2 million) for agricultural equipment for the farm in the last two years as well as 1.18 million yuan (\$650,000) for housing and welfare. The International Red Cross had given \$100,000 to build primary schools. This was not nearly enough, Deng said, and he sympathized with refugees who complained that life in China was much harder than in Vietnam. He said rumors were rife on the farm. About 200 refugees had left after hearing they could obtain well-paid jobs building an airport in the Portuguese colony of Macao, near Hong Kong. About 100 had returned after discovering the rumors were false, and many of them were on their way back.

Crime is not uncommon on the farm, much of it committed by unemployed youths, but most of it consisted of petty theft, Deng said. Housing on the farm is crime and are though probably no worse than on many Chinese communes, and at least all the refugees now live in permanent houses rather than the tents that sheltered them when they first arrived.

Apart from the 2,000 Vietnamese refugees, the farm has a roughly equal number of indigenous Chinese, many of them young people who were sent to the countryside during the cultural revolution of the late 1960s. It also has 390 refugees who left Burma about 15 years ago and 286 overseas Chinese who returned to China from India, Deng said.

China has accepted 265,000 refugees from Vietnam since 1978 when Sino-Vietnamese relations began to deteriorate, culminating in a month-long border war the following year. For the first time since 1949, China requested international aid to cope with the problem, and between late 1979 and the end of 1980 the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) provided \$16.25 million to create jobs and for agricultural equipment.

This year the UNHCR is giving a further \$9.3 million and expects to provide about the same amount in 1982. United Nations sources in Peking said Luliang was a fairly typical farm for refugees and that U.N. aid was being concentrated on the worst farms, many of them on the tropical island of Hainan.

About 10 percent of the refugees in China were fairly wealthy businessmen who wished to leave at virtually any cost, the sources added. But few countries are willing to accept more refugees, and only a few hundred from China have so far been resettled in third countries.

One of the refugees at Luliang, a retired doctor, had color photographs of relatives in Britain, Canada and Denmark, but said he had no wish to leave China. "Despite many problems, this is where I belong and where I plan to stay," he said. (R)



GCC STRENGTH

Congratulations must be extended to the members and supporters of the Gulf Cooperation (GCC). Despite adverse odds, and even with the development of new crises, they were able to make many sound recommendations which will strengthen the Arab nation and benefit unity. Two topics, were rightly considered most important for GCC consideration; peace in the Middle East; and foreign influence in the region. Both topics, falling under the heading of Gulf security, were expertly discussed and recommendations hammered out which would strengthen cooperation between GCC members and neutralize the threats. In addition, recommendations were made on oil policy, industry, finance and transportation. All GCC members wisely voiced their support for the eight principles suggested by Crown Prince Fahd resolving the Arab-Israeli conflict. They concurred with the Crown Prince that Arab principles demand establishment of an independent Palestinian state and the right of all countries in the Middle East to live in peace. GCC recognition of the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO) as the only legitimate spokesman for the Palestinian people correctly stressed that both the United States and its ally Israel must recognize this relationship. Without this there can be no solution. The GCC proved its ability to rise to immediate threats by correctly analyzing the new Soviet-backed alliance of Aden as external intervention by the Soviet Union. This intervention is a threat to both Gulf security and Middle East peace and an attempt by outside powers to build up positions in the Gulf which threaten both its security and sovereignty. The strongest part about GCC recommendations and one reason their soundness will not be questioned, is the fact that they were made by the foreign ministers of the Gulf countries. They carry enormous weight and promise to be accepted immediately when they are presented at the Nov. 3 GCC summit in Riyadh. The timeliness of the establishment of the GCC and the formalization of its guidelines and policies is uncanny. Just when the council went into full operation, it found itself surrounded with crises in many directions.

Where does all the Russian grain go? (Part One)

EDITOR'S NOTE: In this two-part series, Roy and Zhores Medvedev write on food and inflation in the Soviet Union. Roy Medvedev, the dissenting Soviet historian and sociologist, lives in Moscow. His twin brother Zhores is a biologist working in London and the author of a forthcoming book on Soviet agriculture. By Roy and Zhores Medvedev
LONDON — People who live in the rich arable south of the Soviet Union find it incomprehensible that the USSR buys so much grain abroad and that there are chronic shortages of food in other parts of the country. For example, this year the Stavropol region in the north Caucasus overshot its grain target by 20 percent. The area also has an abundance of sunflower oil, soyabean, vegetables, fruit, wine and tea. Even in less prosperous parts of the country the shortages are difficult to understand. Agricultural production has grown faster in the last 30 years than the population. Newspapers have been publishing optimistic front-page reports since May about this year's harvest. Grain imports embarrass the Soviet government, so recent deals with Canada, the Argentine, and the United States have gone unreported. The average newspaper reader does not know that the USSR is now the largest importer of grain in the world, buying some 25 to 30 million tons from the Argentine, Australia, Canada, New Zealand, the United States and Western Europe. The reasons for these large imports are not immediately obvious. They have to do with the consumption patterns of a relatively affluent society. Although the 1981 harvest will fall short of the current annual target of 230 to 240 million tons (foreign experts predict 185 million tons, but 200 million tons is a more realistic estimate), this would not be a disaster if the production of meat were not considered vital. The USSR already produces more than twice as much wheat as the U.S. and the total production of wheat, rye, rice, millet and buckwheat for human consumption is higher than that of America, Canada and Australia put together. The average consumption of bread and other cereals is higher in the Soviet Union than anywhere else in the world. It is the average meat production of 60 kilos per person per year (much higher than in most countries of the world) that creates serious problems for Soviet agriculture. Soviet farmers are forbidden by law to use wheat or rye as animal feed. The traditional animal feed-grains, barley and oats, are less productive than maize. Since the Soviet climate is not really suitable for growing maize, it is imported from the U.S. Even if the present annual production of 60 to 70 million tons of feed-grain were to be doubled, the Soviet Union would still need to import grain to maintain its livestock. Although there are as many cattle in the USSR as in the U.S., the Soviet consumption of meat is 40 percent below the present American level, and the demand for meat continues to grow. In a Western market economy one way of dealing with the problem would be to let the price of meat rise to reduce the demand. The recurrent crises in Poland over increases in food prices indicate that the solution is not so simple in a Socialist economy. In both Poland and the Soviet Union meat has been classified as an essential product, and the state has been committed to keeping down the prices of essential goods. Although the Soviet government periodically increases the price it pays for meat products as an incentive to increase production, livestock farming

is wasteful, unprofitable and uneconomic. It takes 30 calories of feed grain to produce one calorie of meat. One hectare of arable land can produce two to three million calories of wheat or rice, three to four million calories of potato or corn, but only half-a-million calories of pork and only a tenth of a million of beef. The retail prices of meat, milk and eggs have not changed in the Soviet Union since 1962, and bread costs the same as it did in 1953. But production costs have increased, and industrial and agricultural salaries have doubled. There are regional variations, but on average the State buys live cattle and pigs for between one-and-a-half and two roubles a kilo and sells beef and pork in the shops for two roubles a kilo. A growing economy can afford this state of affairs. The problems begin when the economy ceases to grow. In Poland where bread and meat were cheaper than anywhere else in Europe, state subsidies for food were even greater than in the Soviet Union. Economic decline and foreign debts have made it impossible for subsidies to continue at that level, and a substantial rise in the price of bread and meat has become inevitable. These price rises are as threatening to Soviet leaders as a flourishing independent trade union or demands for press freedom. Prices in the Eastern bloc are interconnected, and price increases in Poland are likely to prove more contagious than political reforms. This will challenge one of the most cherished tenets of Socialism — that it is a capitalist society which deals with increased demand by indiscriminate price rises. A Socialist economy increases production to meet demand. In the Soviet Union in the past this principle has worked for wheat production which increased to meet the demand for bread. It will probably continue to work for the production of other staple foods, but it is unlikely to work for problems of depleting resources; nor have they yet invented concentrated fodder or a means of reducing the feed grain content of animal food without incurring a loss of milk and meat production. If Soviet meat production relied only on local resources, production could possibly be increased to meet the rising demand. But if recent efforts to increase the local production of animal food are insufficient and large imports of food grains continue to be required, the price of meat will increase, the meat subsidy will cease, and meat will no longer be considered an essential product. The purchase of American corn is unlikely to survive this kind of change in economic policy, although Canadian wheat will probably continue to be imported to meet Soviet export obligations to Cuba, Vietnam, Korea and Angola — the Socialist Third World. The Russians will have to eat less meat. (ONS). To be continued tomorrow.

Saudi Arabian Press Review

A majority of newspapers Wednesday led with the joint communique issued at the conclusion of Zambian President Kenneth Kaunda's three-day official visit to Saudi Arabia. Other papers gave lead coverage to the ongoing GCC ministerial conference in Taif, quoting Foreign Minister Prince Saud Al-Faisal as saying that the conference unanimously supported Crown Prince Fahd's peace plan for the Middle East. Newspapers frontpaged a report on messages King Khalid received from the ruler of Kuwait and the President of Nigeria. In a front-page story, *Al-Jazirah* reported that the President of Sri Lanka will arrive in Taif next week for an official visit to Saudi Arabia. The bloodless coup in the Central African Republic figured prominently as a page one story in the newspapers. In a prominent front-page story, *Al-Nadwa* reported Austrian Chancellor Bruno Kreisky as saying that PLO has nothing to do with the Jewish synagogue incident in Vienna. *Al-Bilad* reported that the Paris-based Franco-Arab Solidarity Association has urged the European states to support Prince Fahd's peace plan. In an editorial on the Iranian situation, *Al-Medina* noted that the Speaker of Iranian Majlis (parliament), Hashmi Rafsanjani has launched a bitter attack on Saudi Arabia for nothing. It said that Iran at present is gripped with chaos and bloodshed and is not on the correct Islamic path which Saudi Arabia has chosen for itself. If the Iranian leaders want welfare for themselves, their country and people, they had better listen to the "voice of sense and prudence," promulgate real Islam and abstain from their current behavior which is only worsening the situation in their country, the paper said. It added that Rafsanjani must know that he shall not reap any better harvest if he insisted on taking recourse to falsehood. *Al-Jazirah* expressed fears that Iran might have to face the Afghanistan tragedy, for the present internal situation is such that any foreign power can feel encouraged to interfere in Iran's affairs the moment Iranian regime seeks any foreign assistance. In this connection, the paper instanced Eabrak Karmal who was installed as

President of Afghanistan by the Soviet Union. The paper further held the view that the people of Iran can solve the crisis by themselves if they agree to end their differences and place the independence and security of Iran and the interests of its people above every other consideration. They can easily succeed only if they act with forbearance, wisdom and flexibility, the paper added. On the other hand, *Al-Bilad* dealt with the GCC conference, describing it as a pioneering step toward a major work for the higher interests of the Arab nation. The paper said that the foreign ministers of the GCC states, in their support for the Crown Prince's peace plan, have expressed the conviction of the region's leaders that peace and justice constituted an absolute necessity, to be able to counter the challenges and to realize the hopes and aspirations of the people of Palestine. In the wake of Zambian President Kaunda's visit to the Kingdom, *Al-Riyadh* said that Saudi Arabia has played a major role in bringing closer the views of Arabs and Africans, by explaining the dimension of the Zionist occupations and the dangers being posed by the Zionist racist activities. As both Arabs and a major portion of the African population suffer from ignominious racialism, they are working in full cooperation to throw out every racist axis that tries to kill human freedom and challenges all international norms and principles of human rights, said the paper. It added that the African concern about the Middle East situation is fully reciprocated by the Arab concern for the welfare of Africans. On the Kingdom's oil policy, *Al-Nadwa* said Saudi Arabia has reduced its oil output by one million barrel per day as of Sept. 1, taking into full consideration the present situation in the world oil market. The paper added that this step has been taken to uphold the solidarity of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) and to further make it capable of safeguarding the resources of its peoples from the ambitious designs of others. Many have made attempts to harm the organization so they can serve their own vested interests, the paper said, and alerted that ambitious elements will continue to make such attempts. It, however, reaffirmed that such machinations would be weakened if the general interest of OPEC is kept in mind. Saudi Arabia, on its part, has repeatedly explained its stance on oil output and prices, and the reduced production is a fresh testimony to its readiness to work for the reinforcement of OPEC, the paper added.



Person-oriented American doctors fail, folk healers cure ills

By Philip J. Hitt

TRENTON, N. J. (WP) — Voodoo healers, spirit mediums, rootworkers, charismatic faith healers — they have no licenses and many don't even have a grade school education. But now psychologists are beginning to accept them openly as colleagues. In New York, Miami, Sacramento and other cities, mental health clinics have brought in spiritists, magic users and other mystical folk healers to help treat patients, and an increasing number of psychologist advocates using them on a regular basis.

Folk healing by magic and spirits "is widespread, and is in all ethnic groups, in rural areas as well as inner cities, the great mid-west as well as the coasts," said Vivian Garrison, a psychologist at the New Jersey Medical School who has worked with folk spiritists in New York and New Jersey clinics. She said that among hispanics, a third of the entire population consults spiritists for cures.

Rough estimates put the number of folk healers of all sorts in the tens of thousands. About 80 percent of all episodes of mental or physical illness in America are handled, not by doctors, but with home remedies or folk cures regardless of whether they contradict medical knowledge, Garrison said.

Virtually every one of the many cultures in America has one or more varieties of folk-healing tradition, including the voodoo of the laianis, the santeria of the Cubans, the espiritismo of the Puerto Ricans, the charismatic faith healers among different white groups, the rootworkers and other spiritists among different black groups and dozens of others.

Beginning more than a decade ago, psychiatrists discovered the existence of these networks of traditional healers among ethnic groups in America. Soon after, psychologists began to report that these folk healers shared certain approaches with mainstream therapists. They also noted that the folk healers had considerable success in curing their patients of psychological troubles.

Many Shared Features
Jerome Frank, psychiatrist at Johns Hopkins University, says, "there is no question that psychotherapy and folk healing have features they share. They provide patients with acceptance...they create hope."

In a recent issue of the *American Psychologist*, Herfert and Margaret Rappoport of Temple University put forward a proposal to link the folk-healing systems with orthodox mental health care.

"It would make little sense for a gestalt therapist who advocates 'doing your own thing' to be in a setting such as...Nigeria," the article says. "An African shaman would just as out of place advocating...confession and atonement in a western setting." The article recommends changing the cliché-oriented therapy of orthodoxy to a more person-oriented therapy that would allow a therapist to call in a voodoo doctor or a faith healer if it would help.

"I think that theoretically, (the orthodox folk healing systems) may have equal potential," Garrison says. "But because they're generated within different cultures, each apt to be more effective in the culture in which it was developed." The patient's belief in the treatment he is getting is the most important of all factors in success, she concludes.

Minority and lower-income patients frequently have such different ideas about sickness that they have no understanding of what a psychologist expect of them in treatment. Many such difficult patients are marked as "inappropriate for psychotherapy," in a large study of attitudes in Miami, researchers found that attitudes toward medical and psychological treatment were totally different among minorities than in middle-class white culture, to the point that many myths exist among the minorities that do exist in the mainstream culture.

Unusual Symptoms
Symptoms are named located differently, if they are organized into syndromes that have no counterpart in orthodox medicine. In black cultures believe that "low blood" or "high blood," the migration of the blood to lower or the higher parts of the body, can cause a number of symptoms, from weakness to fainting. The array of symptoms leaves orthodox physicians without effective treatments. But folk healers recognize the ailments and cure them quickly with potions and rituals.

In the culture of middle America, there are contradictions between tradition and orthodox medicine, though the differences are less pronounced. For example, it is believed that standing in a draft or getting wet or chilly can cause colds and even pneumonia, an idea long ago disproved and remedies such as castor oil and chicken soup used alongside orthodox medicine. Hazel Weidman, anthropologist at the University of Miami and the chief research in study, said that orthodox medicine has many people of different culture into a mold. "We have tried to socialize all our patients to turn away from their traditional beliefs. We have said they are nonsense, and are superstition." But the same people don't mean to use the orthodox medical system for all but a few of their ailments. He recalled a man who was losing weight rapidly. Doctors could find nothing wrong, after working with him for some time a psychologist began to ask the man what he thought the cause of the trouble was and whether he thought someone had "rooted" him, that is, worked some spell upon him with "rootwork" or black magic.

He is a devout baptist and was trying hard to believe in that stuff," said Weidman. At finally he said yes, he thought his wife had gone to a rootworker and the two of them were working to get rid of him, to get his house... so the psychologist recommended a few quick folk remedies — putting a cup of lye in the four corners of his house to cause the evil spirits are frightened by lye; lighting the Bible open because when it is in its words can help purify a room; drinking a vitamin tonic; and going to find a rootworker who could rid the man of the evil

rootwork.

The cure worked quickly, where orthodox therapy might have been useless.

Folk Healers Are Consultants
In Miami a large-scale city project has been set up to bring folk healers into the orthodox medical system, not only for psychological treatment but to help resolve the conflicts between the medicine of the streets — which is personal and strongly believed — and the medicine of the hospitals which is more impersonal and of another culture. About a hundred reliable folk healers were found and are used as consultants in the system.

The folk-healing systems are not limited to minorities. A large number of spiritualist groups exist around the country. Melinda Wagner, a sociologist from Radford University, joined one for a year to research their practices.

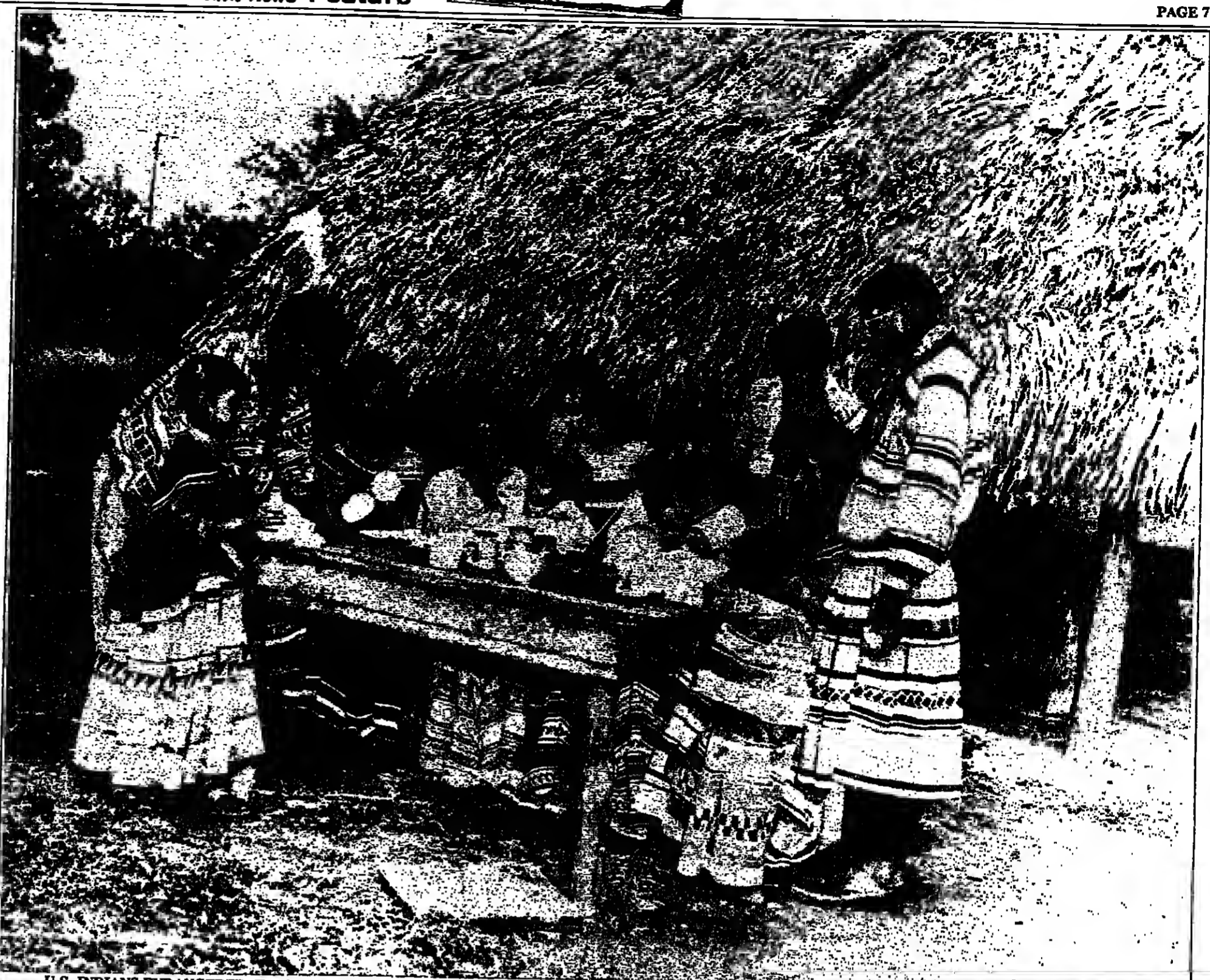
The group (called the Spiritual Frontiers Fellowship) I was in middle-class, middle-aged, mostly women," she said. They were clerks and accountants and belonged to mainstream religions as well as the spirit fellowship. They held seances and healed by "laying on of hands."

She said the group's smorgasbord approach was apparent from the room in which they met, the living room of the woman who was the chief healer.

"On one wall was Christ, beatific and smiling. There was another picture of Christ with a crown of thorns and blood. There was a string-picture of one of the four-armed Hindu gods. In the corner was a black Buddha with a candle in his hand and slips of paper under the candle (names of people she was praying for). There was a North American Indian bust, two little Chinese Confucian figures, a Madonna, and a crystal ball under a velvet cover. (The woman) is also an elder in the Presbyterian Church."

Though there are outward conflicts between orthodox therapy and folk healing, it is possible that the same psychological principle may be operating behind the success of both, Jerome Frank said.

"We have proved that reduction of symptoms with placebos is just the same as with psychotherapy," he said. The key to placebo's working is "positive expectancy" — the belief that it will work. Because of that, Frank said, the folk healers "work just as well in his own group, his own culture," as orthodox therapy does within its milieu.



U.S. INDIANS ENDANGERED: The Seminole Indians of Florida now number only a few hundred. Faced with extinction, they fight hard to preserve the lifestyle and traditions of their tribe.

Combating Japanese space problems Businessmen stay in 'Life Capsules,' go home on weekends

By William Chapman

TOKYO (WP) — The weary foreign traveler looking for Western-sized comforts in a hotel would not find the Mitaka First Inn an appealing place to spend a night. A "room" there is not called a room at all but a "Life Capsule." And, as the term suggests, it is confining. It measures 2.3 square yards, about the size of the old Pullman berth on American trains in their heyday. One crawls into it, just as one used to crawl into a Pullman berth, pulls the curtain for privacy and clicks on a miniature television set.

Claustrophobic people would hate it, but the capsules in the Mitaka First Inn are in great demand. The charge is only \$11 a night, half the cost of a cheap business hotel room and about one-tenth what it takes to get a room of what Americans would regard as requisite size.

The weekly occupancy rate is 95 percent, and more than half the customers are regulars who spend three or four nights a week in their rent-a-capsule to avoid long trips between office and home during the week.

The Mitaka First Inn symbolizes Japan's biggest problem — space. The lack of it in this

country of islands — two-thirds of which is forested and mountainous so that the population crowds onto the coastal plains — affects life here the same way that abundant space has been a major determinant of Americans' life and behavior.

The extended family, for example, with perhaps three generations under one roof, is still the rule in Japan, and not merely for reasons of familial affection. The young couple cannot possibly afford a new house in the suburbs, so they live on in the parental home.

Or consider the middle-aged office worker who has managed to put together the cash for his dream house or for the less desirable "mansion," which is, inexplicably, what the Japanese call the cramped apartments popular now. Tiny by Western standards, they are also located far from the place of work, which means long-distance commuting six days a week.

A recent Construction Ministry Survey found that the average company employee will spend an hour and a half to two hours getting to work each morning. That can add up to 24 hours a week of commuting, and the result is something like the Mitaka First Inn, where the office worker spends weeknights to

avoid the long trips to the long saved-for-home.

Masters of miniaturization, the Japanese have devised ingenious ways of combating their space problems, or at least living with them.

Hundreds of thousands of mom-and-pop stores survive in a land of high rents because the tiny shops are both business and residence. Mom and pop Suzuki sell their wares from a cramped showroom facing the sidewalk and live with their children in a couple of equally cramped rooms in the back.

And where do all the cars go downtown when they aren't being driven? They are neatly packed into minuscule carages. A car goes off the street onto a mechanized turntable that spins it into position for delivery into a moving rack that stores it for the day.

Press a button and the car rolls out. Thirty cars are stored each day in one of the parking contraptions along Tokyo's main thoroughfare that has only about 20 feet of street frontage.

Japan's postwar economic boom was a dream come true for the real estate speculator who could charge more and more for packing people into smaller and smaller

spaces. Land costs and rentals rise at staggering rates each year.

The typical "mansion," an apartment condominium, consists of three tiny rooms (nine of 10 feet square) and a combination kitchen-living room. It costs \$120,000 now. A detached home of the same size would cost twice as much if it could be found two hours' commuting distance from downtown Tokyo. A newspaper columnist recently calculated

Sailing voyage 'worth it' despite storms, pirates

By Jack Schreffman

SAN FRANCISCO, (AP) — It took eight years and they covered 45,000 miles (72,418 km), but Ray and Shirley Triplett made their dream come true: They sailed around the globe on their 46-foot (14 meter) ketch.

"We wouldn't trade those eight years for anything in the world," Triplett said as the ketch, *Morning Star*, bobbed gently at her slip at the St. Francis Yacht Club. The Triplets,

both 59 and married for 40 years, arrived home last week.

Since sailing through the Golden Gate in June 1973, the Triplets have fought storms, survived a coral reef grounding, faced pirates off Sumatra, and gone places tourists never see.

Triplett, a wealthy insurance executive from California, would not recommend such an adventure to everybody hardly anybody, in fact. "You have to know what you're doing," he said.

Most people who try it, he said, get a boat, take a course in piloting and ocean navigation, and sail away. Most get only a few thousand miles, then sell out in the South Pacific and fly back home.

The Triplets sailed to Hawaii, across the Pacific into the Red Sea, the Mediterranean, through the Straits of Gibraltar, down the West Coast of Africa, across the Atlantic, through the Panama Canal, west to Hawaii again and, finally, San Francisco.

"Our circumnavigation days are over," said Triplett. "Once in a lifetime is enough. We have seen and experienced so much that we can never be the same two people again."

One of the more dramatic adventures that befell the Triplets occurred in 1977 off the Sumatra Coast.

"You don't know the good guys from the bad guys in this area, and just about dusk this vessel altered course," Triplett recalled. "We counted 16 guys on deck through our binoculars. They were a surly-looking lot. It (the other boat) was a topsail schooner and they're very fast."

Triplett said he ran quickly for shore, rounded a point and hid out through a dark night, watching the schooner on radar. Finally, he said, the schooner took off in search of other prey.

The Triplett Marriage came through stronger than ever.

"The wake of many a husband-and-wife sailing team is cluttered with divorce papers," Triplett said. "A trip brings out the best in a marriage and the worst. We had to learn to be together 24 hours a day."

They also had to rely on each other, as when Triplett fell overboard in the wintry waters of the Mediterranean. It took Shirley Triplett 45 minutes to wrestle *Morning Star* around and pull her husband to safety.

Triplett figures more than a year should be subtracted from the eight-year figure for the voyage. During the journey, after finding safe harbors for the boat, on several occasions the Triplets flew to California for periods up to nine months to visit with their four daughters and son.

But Triplett's vow that his global sailing days are over won't prevent him from flying to Mallorca soon to look at another boat.



SNAKE INTRODUCTION: Youngsters visiting the San Diego Zoo in California are encouraged to play with this wooden replica of a snake before they see the real ones on exhibit. Psychologists say such play can take the dreaded fear of snakes out of their whole life experience, thus replacing fear with a healthy respect for these creatures.

Connors blasts Lloyd

McEnroe drops set to Nunez

NEW YORK, Sept. 2 (AP)—Top-seeded John McEnroe fought off a determined upset bid by unheralded Juan Nunez of Chile and sporadic showers to capture his first-round match 6-7, 6-1, 6-3, 6-2 Tuesday in the U.S. Open Tennis Championships at Flushing Meadow, New York.

Other seeded players who won on the first day of this two-week long tournament were third-seeded Ivan Lendl of Czechoslovakia, No. 4 Jimmy Connors and No. 11 Peter McNamara of Australia in the men's singles.

The women's singles winners included third-seeded Tracy Austin, No. 7 Wendy Turnbull of Australia and No. 12 Bettina Bunge of West Germany.

Going for his third consecutive open title, a feat that hasn't been accomplished since Bill Tilden captured six in a row from 1920-25, McEnroe played loosely in the first set, while Nunez delighted the small stadium crowd with his crisp ground strokes.

McEnroe who captured the Wimbledon crown on July 4, appeared to take Nunez lightly. A native of Chile, who now lives in the United States, Nunez reached the 128-player draw here when Boh Lutz withdrew because of injury. He played on a satellite tour this year and is ranked 193rd in the world.

But he battled McEnroe evenly in the

opening set, breaking the world's top player in the first game. McEnroe broke back in the 10th game and the two held serve to end the first set into a tiebreaker.

Playing on a court where he has lost just two matches since the National Tennis Center was opened 1978, McEnroe jumped out to a 5-0 lead in the tiebreaker. But Nunez won the next six points to pull into a 6-5 lead. After McEnroe evaded the count with a service winner, Nunez took the next two points and the first set.

Stung by the loss, McEnroe broke serve to take the opening game of the second set. Then came the rain.

After a 37-minute delay, the left-hander started with an ace as he recled off a love game for a 2-0 advantage. But with McEnroe leading 4-1, 30-love, play was interrupted by rain again — this time for 1 1/2 hours. When they resumed, McEnroe needed only seven minutes to even the match at a set apiece.

On his best behavior while struggling, McEnroe began questioning line calls arguing with the umpire and winning points. He broke Nunez in the eighth game of the third set and the third and fifth games of the fourth set enroute to victory.

Connors had no problems crushing Britain's John Lloyd 6-0, 6-0, 6-2 in 79 minutes.

The match, which opened the tournament, drew more than the usual interest because Lloyd is married to the women's top seed, Chris Evert-Lloyd, who was once engaged to Connors.

Lendl stopped Hans Simonsson of Sweden 6-2, 6-2, 6-2 and McNamara downed John Fitzgerald of Australia 7-6, 6-3, 6-3, while in women's play, Austin clobbered Anne Hobbs of Britain 6-1, 6-2; Turnbull defeated Zina Garrison 3-6, 6-3, 6-2 and Bunge stopped Marcie Louie 6-2, 6-1.

In one of the few upsets of the day, Anne Smith eliminated 16th-seeded Dianne Fromholtz of Australia 6-3, 6-3.

For the fourth-seeded Connors, who won this event in 1974, 1976 and 1978, the match against Lloyd was just a workout — and not a hard one at that. The sparse crowd in the stadium gave its biggest cheer of the match when Lloyd held his own serve to start the third set.

The former British Davis Cupper also held serve to capture the seventh game, staying off one match point before Connors served out the match.

The start of the tournament was delayed one hour by rain before the entire National Tennis Center bristled with activity with matches on 14 courts.



BACK TO THE RING: Three-time heavyweight champion, Muhammad Ali, at a press conference in New York, announcing his return to the ring.

Ali to fight Trevor Berbick

NEW YORK, Sept. 2 (AP)—In a press conference subdued compared with the previous circus-like shows that have marked his career, three-time heavyweight champion Muhammad Ali said Tuesday that he will return to the ring Dec. 2 to fight Trevor Berbick in the Bahamas.

Ali, 39, has been unable to get a boxing license from any state commission except South Carolina since being stopped in the 11th round in a title fight against World Boxing Council champion Larry Holmes last October in Las Vegas. After beating Ali into apparent retirement, Holmes outpointed Berbick in 15 rounds last April.

Although no formal contracts have been signed, Bahamian officials said Berbick had agreed verbally to the fight. According to Michael Phenner, Ali's Chicago-based attorney, the former champion's purse will be "in the millions." Phenner would not disclose the exact figure, saying "that's between Ali and the internal revenue service."

The Homes fight was Ali's first in more than two years. He had announced his retirement after regaining the heavyweight crown from Leon Spinks Sept. 15, 1978. After losing decisively to Holmes, it seemed Ali would retire for good. But he is determined to fight again and to win the title for a fourth time. He will have been idle for 14 months by the time he faces Berbick.

"Everybody asks me why," Ali said, speaking in a thick voice. "Why? Because it's there, that's why. Why did we go to the moon? because it's there. They say, 'you've won it three times. Be satisfied with that.' But we weren't satisfied with the moon. Now we're going to Mars and Venus and Saturn, because they're there."

"This is something I've got to do. I know I can do it ... because Holmes is getting old." Berbick, a Canadian, has a 16-2-1 record and gained wide attention for the first time when he knocked out former World Boxing Association champion John Tate on the undercard of the first Sugar Ray Leonard-Roberto Duran fight in Montreal June 20, 1980.

That set him up for the shot at Holmes and by going the distance, he coded the champion's string of eight consecutive knockout defenses.

"I've picked the toughest guy I can, a guy who went 15 rounds with Larry Holmes," said Ali.

Ali said he weighs 241 pounds (109 kg) now and would weigh 230 (104 kg) for the Berbick bout. "I'm 241 now and I can do better now than I did the night I fought Holmes," he said. "There was something terribly wrong with me that night."

Asked if he might consider another fight against Joe Frazier, who recently announced plans to fight again, Ali frowned. "Nahh," he said. "He's too old."

In Halifax, Trevor Berbick, the Canadian and Commonwealth heavyweight champion, says he is not awed at the prospect of fighting Ali. It is a business proposition and a stepping stone to another world title fight.

Berwick said in an interview the Ali fight is a good way to get his name in the papers and to put some money in the bank, win lose or draw.

Berwick said he will start getting ready for Ali slowly, with an eight kilometer walk through the park to begin with.

Larry Holmes to defend WBC crown

NEW YORK, Sept. 2 (AP)—Undefeated heavyweight champion Larry Holmes will make the 11th defense of his World Boxing Council crown against Ronaldo Snipes in mid-November at a site to be announced promoter Don King said Tuesday.

The announcement would mean the long-awaited Holmes-Gerry Cooney title bout would have to wait until next year. Both Holmes and Cooney, also undefeated, have signed an agreement to meet either this year or early next year.

Holmes has a record of 38-0, including 28 knockouts. Snipes, who won a controversial decision over Gerrie Coetzee last month, has a 22-0 record with 11 knockouts.

In his last title defense, Holmes knocked out Leon Spinks at Detroit June 12.

Santos pulls out

Meanwhile, challenger Carlos Santos on Tuesday pulled out of Saturday's scheduled title bout against World Boxing Council junior middleweight champion Wilfred Benitez because of an injured hand.

A spokesman for promoter Don Chargin said he is hoping to find a "suitable" opponent to take the place of Santos in the fight.

Santos' manager, Yamil Chade, said the challenger formed a blister in the index finger of his left hand Saturday and the blister became inflamed. Chade said a doctor brought from Puerto Rico advised Santos not to use the hand for two weeks.

Santos, from Puerto Rico, is the WBC's No. 1-ranked cootender with a 14-0 record. Benitez, also of Puerto Rico, won the title in May by stopping Maurice Hope in the 12th round of their fight in Las Vegas.

Feast in store

If Sugar Ray Leonard and Thomas Hearns fight as well on Sept. 16 as they've learned to carry on at various press conferences promoting their bouts, fight fans could be in for a real spectacle when they meet to unify the world welterweight title.

Leonard, the World Boxing Council light champion, appeared together Tuesday for the first time in nearly two months at a Caesars Palace gathering promoting the upcoming fight.

While little news was offered by either fighter, both seemed to play their respective roles with enthusiasm and hype a fight that really doesn't need that much hype.

"Thomas Hearns says he will knock me out but I will not cooperate with this guy," a smiling Leonard said. "It is not my nature to cooperate with anyone. He looks like he now in awe and I'm going to show this man I can hit."

"The more you talk, the more trouble you're getting into," Hearns shot back. "You'd better cash in all that jewelry ... all that's going back to the pawn shop after you lose," Leonard responded. Hearns, the undefeated knockout artist from Detroit who took his crown with a second-round over Pipino Cuevas in August 1980, predicted Leonard would fall by the fifth round.

In World Cycling American girl bags gold

BRNO, Czechoslovakia Sept. 2 (AP)—Sheila Young-Ocobowitz of the United States won the women's sprint gold medal at the World Cycling Championships Tuesday, defeating Claudine Vierstraete of Belgium in the final.

Dedeř Macha of East Germany defeated Dianys Liepinche of the Soviet Union for the gold medal in the men's amateur pursuit. Maurizio hidinos of Italy took the bronze. Claudia Lommatzsch of West Germany was the third-place finisher in the women's sprint.

Vierstraete used superior strategy to eliminate her larger German opponent after a defeat in the first round. She forced Lommatzsch, last year's sprint bronze medalist, into the lead on the second heat and overtook her just in front of the line in a winning time of 13.2 seconds.

The deciding heat was even slower. Lommatzsch got a warning for standing still before the first lap was completed, and Vierstraete waited her out again, letting her lead the final 200 meter sprint and overtaking at the line.

Young-Ocobowitz, a 1976 Olympic champion speedskater and winner of the world sprint title in 1973 and 1976, had taken time out from competition to have a baby. She dominated her Soviet opponent in both races.

On the first of the semifinals runs, the American racer slowed to a crawl along the far wall of the steeply-banked velodrome. But she stayed in front in an apparent show of confidence, letting the Russian see she was not afraid to take the more difficult leading

position. She woo that heat easing up at the finish, in 13.94.

On the second race she let Krouchenitskaya lead through the crucial second lap, then turned on a powerful kick at the finish to clock 12.96.

Australia's Steel Bishop qualified for the professional quarterfinals in pursuit with the sixth best time overall of 6:07.68. He finished 6.5 sec back of Alain Boudue of France, who led the heat with 6:01.18.

Australia narrowly missed qualifying to team pursuit. Michael Grenda, Kevin Nichols, Gary Sutton and Byron Tucker, Henning Larsen, Michael Markusen and Claus Rasmussen had the ninth best time, but only the top eight qualify for the quarterfinals.

Japan and Philippines were eliminated in the first round. The Japanese squad — Takashi Kinouchi, Harumitsu Okada, Kunio Saito and Toshimasa Yamazaki — registered only the 12th fastest time, of 4 minutes 38.38 secs, behind the qualifying time of 4:37.05, registered by Hungary.

Belgium prevails

CAIRO, Egypt, Sept. 2 (AP)—Belgium beat Austria 22-19 and Egypt defeated Norway 18-15 in matches played here Tuesday in the first International Handball Tournament to be organized here.

The four-nation tournament opened Monday with a match between Austria and Egypt. Austria won 21-20. The prizes of the tournament are a "Peace Cup" for the top scorer, gold, silver and bronze medals for the others.

Indonesia trounces UAE at Merdeka

KUALA LUMPUR, Sept. 2 (R)—Indonesia beat the United Arab Emirates 5-2 in a Group 'A' match at the Merdeka Soccer Tournament here Wednesday night.

Japan take on India on Thursday, who should prove a tough opponent. The Indians have a trick up their sleeves, but manager Basha is not revealing anything.

"We have seen the Japanese play Malaysia in the opening match and we will come out with a special strategy to counter their fast game," he told reporters here Wednesday.

However, the fast style of the Japanese will not be the only problem the Indian manager faces. The Indian front line is still weak and the forwards tend to over-dribble when they are inside the opponents half.

"Some of our players are still inexperienced, but I am sure they will improve as the tournament progresses," Basha said.

Meanwhile, the Japanese, fresh from their comfortable 2-0 win against host Malaysia in the opening match Sunday, are not expected to make many changes in their lineup.

World mark set

MOSCOW, Sept. 2 (R)—Anatoly Pisarenko, 23-year-old Soviet weightlifter, set world records for the super-heavyweight snatch and total in Podolsk near here Wednesday.

His total of 447.5 kilograms was 2.5 kilos more than the previous record held by his compatriot Vasily Alexeyev and his snatch of 201.5 kilos topped the previous best by Olympic champion Sultan Rakhmanov, also of the Soviet Union, by half a kilo.

IAAF turns down S. Africa plea

ROME, Sept. 2 (R)—South Africa's request to returning to international athletics was rejected Tuesday by track and field's world governing body.

The International Amateur Athletic Federation (IAAF), meeting on the opening day of a two-day congress, turned down the application for an end to the suspension imposed five years ago because of South Africa's policy of apartheid in athletics.

IAAF general secretary John Holt told the congress the IAAF council have advised the South African Amateur Athletic Union (AAC) after its meeting in Cairo in March that it could not recommend reinstatement "until the political situation in South Africa had changed."

After another meeting here Tuesday with South African track and field officials, the IAAF council accepted that steps were being taken in the republic towards multi-racial athletics.



Steve Scott

Steve Scott runs fastest 3,000m

INGELHEIM, West Germany, Sept. 2 (R)—American Steve Scott ran the fastest 3,000 meters this year by winning the event in seven minutes 36.69 seconds here Tuesday night.

Scott, whose time was a U.S. record, finished ahead of West German Thomas Wessinghage and Fuzino of Kenya. Ron, making an attempt on his own world record of 7:32.1, clocked 7:41.41.

Another U.S. athlete Craig Masback won the 1,000 meters 2:19.4. Kenyan James Mainia was second in 2:19.6 and West German Uwecker placed third in 2:19.7.

Nebiolo is IAAF chief

ROME, Sept. 2 (R)—Italian sports official Primo Nebiolo, 56, was elected President of the International Amateur Athletic Federation (IAAF) in Rome Tuesday.

Nebiolo's election, was the only candidate, was assured after outgoing president Adrian Paulen of the Netherlands decided not to stand.

Nebiolo, who organized the three-day World Athletics Cup starting in Rome on Friday, has been chairman of the International University Sports Federation since 1961.

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As Stone, Martinez sparkle

Orioles scrape past Seattle Mariners

NEW YORK, Sept. 2 (AP) — Steve Stone, in his second start after 2 1/2 months on the disabled list, combined with Tippy Martinez to hurl a two-hitter as the Baltimore Orioles defeated the Seattle Mariners 1-0 Tuesday night.

Stone, 3-4, the American League's CY young award winner last year permitted only one runner to advance beyond first base before he was lifted after issuing a one-out walk in the eighth.

Martinez, who picked up his 10th save, got pinch-hitter Gary Gray to ground into a double play while making one pitch in the eighth and then retired the side in the ninth.

The Chicago White Sox to their fifth straight defeat. Kosman, acquired from the Minnesota Twins over the weekend, was making his first appearance for the White Sox.

The A's Indians game at Cleveland was postponed because of rain.

In the National League, Steve Carlton pitched a three-hitter and Gary Matthews drove in all of Philadelphia's runs with a two-run single and a homer, carrying the Phillies to a 3-0 victory over the Atlanta Braves.

Warren Cromartie singled home the winning run in Montreal's three-run seventh inning to lead the Expos to a 4-3 victory over the Cincinnati Reds.

In late NL action Tuesday night, Ruppert Jones drove in a pair of runs with a homer and a sacrifice fly to lead the San Diego Padres to a 3-2 victory over the Chicago Cubs. San Diego has now won three games in a row after losing 17 of its first 20 games in the second season.

Errors by outfielders George Hendrick and Sixto Lezcano enabled the San Francisco Giants to score a pair of unearned runs during a three-run fifth inning rally and go on to a 4-2 victory over the St. Louis Cardinals. The victory was the fifth in a row for the Giants and kept them one-half game behind first-place Houston in the NL West.

Tuesday's results at a glance

American League	National League
California 3 Boston 2	Philadelphia 3 Atlanta 0
Baltimore 1 Seattle 0	Montreal 4 Cincinnati 3
Pennett 2 Chicago 0	Houston 3 New York 2
New York 11 Minnesota 6	San Diego 3 Chicago 2
Kansas City 3 Milwaukee 1	Los Angeles 3 Pittsburgh 2
Toronto 9 Texas 3	San Francisco 4 St. Louis 2

Oakland at Cleveland postponed

Botham is 'man of the series'

A frustrating end--Hughes

LONDON, Sept. 2 (AFP) — Australian captain Kim Hughes said a draw Tuesday "I think it was a frustrating end to a frustrating series. When he had England six wickets down, thought we were in with a really good chance of winning."

"But we really only had two bowlers who looked like getting wickets — Dennis Lillee and Terry Alderman."

Hughes said that although the two sides had played 30 days of Test cricket and England had won the series three one, the overall Australian performance had been too disappointing.

But he added "When we have gone bad we have gone that bad that it cost us two games. The guys tried their hardest but it had all been wasted effort because we stuffed it up completely in a couple of hours."

English captain Mike Brearley said: "The most worrying time was when Ian Botham got out and there was still a long time to go. Then when I got out with still 16 overs to go, the odds were pretty much against us surviving."

Of Botham's innings, Brearley said: "Had it been anyone else I would have felt pretty irritated. But had he stayed another one and a half hours and scored another century, everyone would have said how brilliant he had been."

"I was a little bit tempted to go looking for the runs and would certainly have taken more of a risk in this match (than had it been the first of the series)."

"But the target was very high and had Ian batted for three hours he would have been the only person who could have done it for us."

Brearley said he would be playing County Cricket again next summer and would answer another call to lead England if it ever came. But he added: "Keith Fletcher is a good and much-respected captain."

English selectors chairman, Alec Bedser and Australian manager, Fred Bennett said: "There has been a number of fine performances and surprises in naming Ian Botham man of the series."

"In point of fact he won three Test, and but for him, England might have been three down in the series instead of finishing three-up."

The bearded all-rounder ended the series with 399 runs, 34 wickets including ten at the Oval, and 12 catches. He had, however, to

Springboks score narrow win

WELLINGTON, New Zealand, Sept. 2 (AFP) — The South African Springboks Wednesday maintained their unbeaten record against New Zealand Provincial Rugby Union sides with a thrilling 29 to 24 win over Bay of Plenty at Rotorua.

The Springboks, fresh from their triumph over the All-Blacks in the second Test last Saturday, trailed the local team for much of the game but finished strongly as they have done so often during their controversial tour.

The South African points came from tries by Edrich Krantz, Barius Botha and Eden Hansen, with Johan Henniss kicking four penalties, a conversion and a dropped goal.

The New Zealand police used a new weapon to stop anti-apartheid protesters setting into the ground — a gorse cutter.

Police confirmed that their men carried the implement — known in New Zealand as a slasher — at the ground grappling ironed to try to demolish barbed wire barricades.

At first police denied their men had been carrying the weapon but later they confirmed the slashers were for chopping through any ropes thrown across the coiled and reinforced barbed wire in an attempt to breach a hold through it.

At the second Springboks-All-Blacks Test at Wellington last Saturday, five 100 meters

long barricades of barbed wire were flattened by protesters who threw heavy ropes over them and tore them from their steel stanchions.

Police Minister Ben Couch said the police had learned many new tactics for combating protest activities during the controversial tour. "It is better than using a pocket knife to try to cut these ropes," the minister said.

Meanwhile it was reported from Chicago that a rugby match between an American All-Star team and a South African team will take place as scheduled, organizers said Tuesday.

The game is scheduled for Sept. 19 and will be played at an undisclosed location, according to David Hall, secretary of the Chicago Lions Rugby Football Club.

The Lions are organizing the match but the team that will play the South African Springboks will be made up of All-Star players from the Midwest Rugby Football Union. Hall said the site of the game will not be made public because of the negative public response the match has generated.

On Monday, Alderman Danny K. Davis, who is black, urged the city council to pass his resolution of Aug. 11 denying the use of any city-owned or public facilities by the 34-member, largely white South African team.



Mike Channon

Argentina shocked

BARCELONA, Spain, Sept. 2 (R) — World soccer champions Argentina suffered their only loss of a four-match tour of Italy and Spain when Barcelona beat them 1-0 last night on a 76th minute goal by Danish international Allan Simonsen.

But Argentine coach Cesar Menotti was not upset by the loss. "We played a good match and had more opportunities for goals than Barcelona," he added. "The score does not really reflect what happened on the pitch."

The big disappointment was Argentina's star striker Diego Maradona, who showed his sparkle only once. But Menotti said Maradona was tired.

The Argentines shone throughout the first half and had a clear chance in the 12th minute when Santamarina, alone with the ball in front of Barcelona goalie Artolo, missed his shot.

Notts County holds Manchester City
Latchford strikes again for Swansea

LONDON, Sept. 2 (AP) — Swansea City, which celebrated its baptism "into English soccer's First Division with a massive 5-1 win on Saturday, continued its dream start to the new domestic soccer season Tuesday night by winning 2-1 at Brighton.

Former England striker Bob Latchford, a bargain pre-season signing from Everton who netted a hat-trick in Saturday's defeat of Leeds, scored his fourth goal in two games.

Swansea, still on the crest of a wave following Saturday's results, stormed to a two-goal lead in 14 minutes, Welsh international Leighton James opening the score in the 10th minute and Latchford adding the second. Andy Ritchie replied for Brighton before half-time but the visitors held out in a half-tempered second half in which five players were cautioned.

Fellow promotion winners Notts County, who shocked league champions Aston Villa on Saturday, gained its third point in two games in a 1-1 home draw with Manchester City. Trevor Christie scored for County after 39 minutes with Bobby McDonald converting City's second-half pressure into an equalizer 11 minutes from time.

European champions Liverpool, which lost at Wolves on Saturday, had another poor result by drawing 1-1 with unfancied Middlesbrough at Anfield. David Shearer gave Boro a shock lead after seven minutes and Liverpool's nightmare continued when Terry McDermott missed a penalty.

Phil Neal made no mistake, however, when Liverpool was awarded a second spot kick nine minutes after half-time.

Birmingham outplayed Ipswich for long periods and deservedly took a 44th minute lead through Alan Evans. But a slack back pass allowed Alan Brazil to score a 64th-minute equalizer for the UEFA Cup holders. Southampton swept to its first win of the

English soccer results

English League	League Cup
Division One	
Birmingham City 1 Ipswich Town 1	Aldershot 0 Wimbledon 0
Brighton 1 Swansea City 2	Bournemouth 0 Fulham 1
Liverpool 1 Middlesbrough 1	Bolton 2 Oldham 1
Notts County 1 Manchester City 1	Bristol City 2 Walsall 0
Southampton 4 Wolverhampton 1	Bury 2 Gillingham 3
Division Two	
Cambridge United 1 Derby County 2	Colchester 1 Rochester 3
Queen's Park 1 Luton 2	Doncaster 0 Chesterfield 3
Sheff Wednesday 1 Blackburn 2	Hull City 1 Preston 2
Walsford 0 Grimsby Town 2	Huddersfield 1 Hartlepool 1
	Northampton 2 Millwall 1
	Orient 1 Mansfield 0
	Scamthorpe 0 Sheffield United 1
	Sheff Wednesday 4 Burnley 0
	Tranmere 3 Swindon 2
	Wrexham 3

season by hitting four goals past Wolverhampton, three in the last half hour. Mike Channon opened the score after seven minutes, Wolves levelled 13 minutes into the second half through Wayne Clarke. But then the home side took control with goals from Kevin Keegan, Steve Moran and Channon again.

In the second division, all interest was centered on the English League's first artificial pitch at Queen's Park Rangers.

But the new surface proved as much a handicap as an advantage to the home side. Rangers' Andy King entered the record book by scoring first on the new-look pitch after 35 minutes, but visitors Luton won with second-half goals from Mark Aizlewood and Rieky Hill.

In Zurich, Switzerland, two Swiss players making their debut in an international scored to give their side a 2-1 win over the Netherlands.

Lucien Faure, 24, put Switzerland ahead in the 58th minute when he got the better of the rival's defensive wall. His Servette Geneva teammate Angelo Eia scored 10 minutes

later. With both teams weakened through injury or non-availability, interest in the game was very low.

The Swiss moved into the attack after the interval on a pitch made heavy with persistent rain and had the Dutch under pressure.

In a series of counter-attacks, the Dutch reduced the margin 15 minutes from the end through Johnny Metgod who head the ball home after it rebounded off the post.

The Swiss used the match as a warmup for their World Cup qualifying match against Romania on October 10.

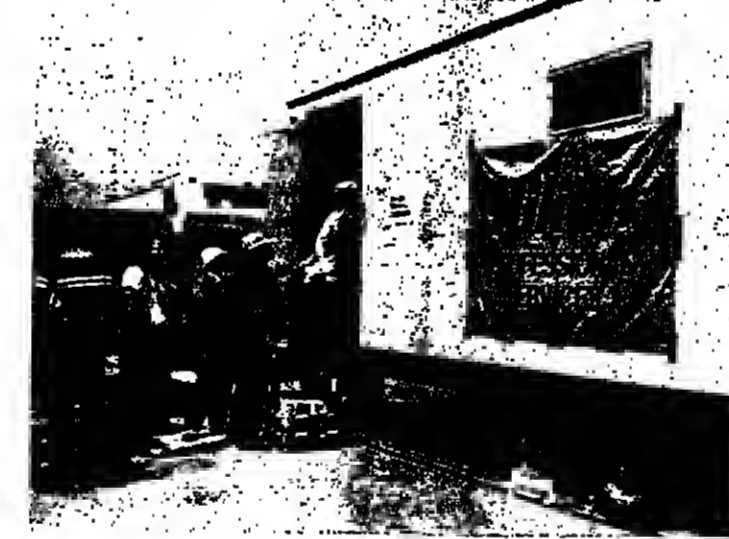
In the East Berlin, Dynamo Berlin beat St. Etienne, France 2-0 in a second leg preliminary round of the European Soccer Cup. Dynamo, who won on a 3-1 aggregate, got their goals through Netz and Riediger.

In Paris, Bordeaux were joined by Lyon at the top of the French First Division after dropping a home point in a 1-1 draw with Lille Tuesday night.

Lynn, with a hat-trick from their Yugoslav striker Slimonikol beat Bastia 4-1. both teams have 12 points.

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To balance budget

U.S. faces \$30b defense cut

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 2 (R) — President Ronald Reagan may ask Congress to cut up to \$30 billion from U.S. defense spending in 1983 and 1984 to balance his budget, White House officials say.

Deputy Press Secretary Larry Speakes told reporters Tuesday the defense cuts could be part of \$75 billion in new cuts being considered for all areas of government spending. "The president is prepared to make cuts in the 1983 and 1984 budgets that will go across the board into every department of government," Speakes said.

The administration, committed to building up U.S. military strength, has been reluctant to discuss possible cutbacks in its defense spending proposals. Congress has already approved deep cuts in government social programs. Speakes told reporters at the western White House where Reagan is on holiday that the president had promised to balance the budget in 1984. He said administration officials now believed they needed another \$30 billion worth of overall cuts in 1983 and \$45 billion in 1984.

"The president remains committed to the twin goals of rebuilding the nation's military strength and halting budget by 1984," Speakes said. But he also acknowledged that the goal of keeping the 1982 budget deficit to \$42.5 billion might be hard to achieve because of high interest rates, now at 20 per-

cent. Until Tuesday administration officials had insisted they were confident of holding the deficit to that figure. Speakes said Reagan was prepared to look for extra cuts in the 1982 budget in order to stop the deficit increasing.

Financial analysts on Wall Street and in Congress meanwhile, have said the 1982 deficit could rise as much as \$60 billion.

Skepticism about the administration's ability to hold the line may have contributed to recent declines in the stock market, administration officials have said. Speakes said that following staff meetings last week, Defense Secretary Casper Weinberger was directed to prepare a list of potential reductions in the 1983 and 1984 defense budgets for the president to consider. Reagan would begin looking at the options Wednesday and would review them at a Sept. 10 cabinet meeting after he returned to Washington from his month-long California holiday, Speakes said.

The president would decide how to cut projected military spending for 1983 and 1984 by as much as \$30 billion by the following week, Speakes said. The remaining \$45 billion or more of the total of \$75 billion in reductions would come off budgets of other federal agencies, including government funding of social services, he said. At the Pentagon Tuesday spokesman Henry Carto told

reporters no decisions had yet been made on how to reduce the defense budget.

Carto said Weinberger still supported a planned seven percent increase in defense spending in 1983, but he added: "The dollars we have to work with are finite and the demands are infinite."

Even without the problem of higher-than-anticipated interest rates, the projected \$42.5 billion deficit assumes Congress will go along with more than \$10 billion in spending reductions the administration projects, but has yet to outline in detail.

While the administration estimated an interest rate of 13.6 percent this year, the current interest on three-month treasury bills is 15.6 percent. For 1982, the Reagan administration is predicting a 10.5 percent rate on the three-month bills, but congressional experts estimate it will be closer to 12.8 percent.

Even with the defense cuts, Speakes said Reagan will fulfill his commitment to increase defense spending by 7 percent a year as measured against the fiscal year 1981 budget proposed by former President Jimmy Carter.

Though Reagan has embarked on the largest military buildup in U.S. history, his advisers say they recognize it would be politically impossible to make further cuts in social programs without also cutting defense.

Japanese capital flows into Malaysia

KUALA LUMPUR, Sept. 2 (R) — Japanese investors are turning away from Singapore and looking north to neighboring Malaysia to set up manufacturing industries because of Singapore's labor shortages and high wage costs, according to Japanese businessmen.

Some Japanese manufacturing firms already established in Singapore are also reviewing their business activities in order to cope with what they regard as an unfavorable climate, Japanese industry sources said.

A leading Japanese telecommunications equipment maker, Fujitsu Limited, is among

the companies which has chosen to establish a factory in Malaysia after comparing its investment climate with Singapore.

Fujitsu, which has a factory in Singapore, plans to begin manufacturing the same products early next year in a new factory in Malaysia's southernmost state of Johore.

Koichi Ishizuka, a Fujitsu executive said his company could not expand any more in Singapore even if it wanted to, blaming difficulties in finding workers, especially young women, as well as increasing labor costs.

Lower wages in Malaysia have prompted Fujitsu's move of a large part of its Singapore

operation, he said. Another Japanese company, Sharp-Roxy Corporation, a joint venture making Sharp brand electrical appliances, is also setting up a factory in Johore, which has the capacity to make 15,000 black-and-white and color television sets a month. "Singapore and Malaysia were in a final list for our new investment," a Sharp-Roxy official said. "Ultimately we opted for Malaysia."

He cited as reasons for the choice Malaysia's future potential with its abundant natural resources and relatively high population along with Singapore's worsening labor shortage. Sharp-Roxy, which plans an eventual workforce of 450, will be Malaysia's first television exporter.

Kitamura Industry, a metal-plating company, is starting a factory in Selangor state near Kuala Lumpur in addition to its Singapore plant because of difficulties in expanding in Singapore and Malaysia's incentives for supporting industries, a company official said.

Some Japanese manufacturing firms, feeling what they call a "sense of oppression" in Singapore, say they are no longer as welcome in the island state as they were in the past. A campaign under the slogan "Learn from Japan" in Biwapore and promoted by Prime Minister Lee Kuan Yew is now aimed at making the country a financial and technology center in Asia rather than a manufacturing base.

The outflow of investment from Singapore is regarded by Malaysia as a natural phenomenon. Japan is already the largest investor in Malaysia's manufacturing sector, with total investment amounting to 647.4 million ringgit (\$280 million) and the approval of 267 projects.

J. Jegathesan, director of the investment promotion department of the Malaysian Industrial Development Authority (MIDA), told Reuters that labor-intensive firms from such countries as Japan, Hong Kong, Taiwan and Singapore have similar problems in finding advantageous places for their investment.

"They are looking at Malaysia, Sri Lanka, Indonesia..." He said. "Even if there is such a movement by Japanese firms (to move away from Singapore) I do not think it happened just now, it has been happening over a few years," Jegathesan added.

Pakistan may rejoin Commonwealth

CANBERRA, Sept. 2 (R) — The Commonwealth heads of government conference in Melbourne this month is expected to indicate to Pakistan it would be welcome if it applied to rejoin the organization, Australian officials said Wednesday.

Pakistan resigned in 1972 because of the Commonwealth's recognition of Bangladesh and for some time India opposed its readmittance.

Australian officials said India now was apparently ready to accept Pakistan's readmission so long as the Commonwealth did not issue an invitation or appeared to be pleading with Islamabad to rejoin.


with Islamabad to rejoin.

At the same time, Pakistan, while wanting to come back into the Commonwealth, was hesitant about making an application for fear of rejection and loss of face.

One senior official said Wednesday that it now seems that there is some readiness on part of all Commonwealth members to adopt some kind of formula at the Commonwealth heads of government meeting which will indicate to Pakistan that should it formally seek membership, it could expect that it would be granted.

The week-long Commonwealth meeting begin on Sept. 30.

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Economy looking up Mexico's oil reserves jump

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 2 (AP) — Mexico increased its proven oil reserves by four billion barrels since March and now has the fourth largest reserves in the world, President Jose Lopez Portillo said Tuesday in his State of the Union Address.

Lopez Portillo also sharply criticized American plans to produce the neutron warhead, calling it "the worst that humanity has produced" and said the weapons damaged world hopes for a serious attempt to limit the arms race.

The speech, televised nationally and delivered to the Congress and cabinet, was the fifth of Lopez Portillo's six-year term. Tuesday was a national holiday because of the speech. The main streets of Mexico City were draped with tinsel in the national colors.

Accord on head still eludes IAEA

VIENNA, Sept. 2 (AP) — The International Atomic Energy Agency's board of governors, apparently still unable to reach agreement over a new director despite three months of efforts, cancelled a meeting Tuesday at which agency sources said they were to announce a candidate. No substitute date was set for the canceled meeting.

The move came less than three weeks before the annual general conference of the agency's 110-nation membership which must approve the board of governors' choice for the director's post.

France asks Japan to aid ailing firm

TOKYO, Sept. 2 (AFP) — A government spokesman Wednesday confirmed that French government has asked Japan to provide technological and financial assistance to the French machine-tool manufacturing company Line S.A., a move reported earlier in the business newspaper *Nikkei Keizai*.

The Japanese industry ministry has unofficially asked Toshiba Machine of Tokyo to consider this French request, the paper said. The Toshiba machine president Masanobu Hisano will visit Paris after a trip to the Hanover International Fair in West Germany this month to discuss the scope for a co-operation agreement with the industry ministry and the management of Line, the paper affirmed.

France, it continued, was seeking technical or financial co-operation with Japanese firms specializing in heavy equipment.

The French machine tool industry had been hard hit by the recession and fall in exports of its equipment. France's trade deficit with Japan in the machine tool sector was 985 million francs (\$170 million) last year against 29 million francs in 1979.

The request had been made through the Japanese embassy in France.

U.S. firms find oil in Sumatra

WHITE PLAINS, New York, Sept. 2 (AFP) — Texaco and Standard Oil of California have announced that a joint affiliate has made three oil finds in Sumatra.

The discoveries were made by the joint venture P.T. Caltex Pacific Indonesia (CPI) near the Duri field in central Sumatra, according to a statement released here. The finds network already serving CPI's operation in central Sumatra.

The statement said that CPI produces "nearly one-half of Indonesia's total production of crude oil." It averaged 760,000 barrels a day during 1980 and 775,000 barrels for the first six months of 1981.

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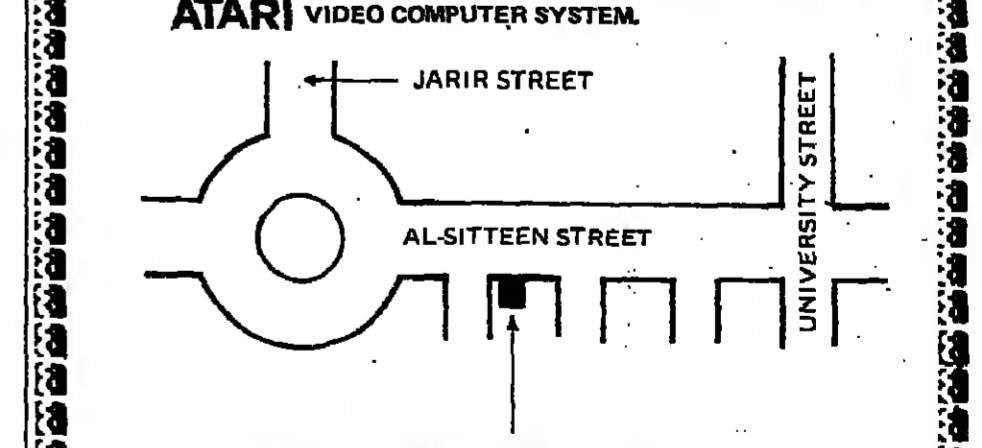
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Paris talks

Moi calls for new era in global cooperation

PARIS, Sept. 2 (AFP) — Kenyan President Daniel Arap Moi Wednesday called for a new era in international cooperation and urgent balanced program to aid the world's poorest nations.

Moi said that living conditions in many of the LDCs were "intolerable" and getting worse in some. "It requires no degree in economics to reach an understanding that unless some corrective measures are now rapidly undertaken many of these countries in Africa must simply collapse," he said.

The time has passed when the advanced countries could hope to prop up shaky structures by palliative measures so designed as to enhance their own self-interest," Moi said.

He said the LDC countries recognized their responsibility for their development, but "nothing less than collective willingness to pursue remedial measures of dramatic kind could adequately meet the present situation."

Canada, Alberta end oil row

OTTAWA, Sept. 2 (R) — Canada and its oil-producing province, Alberta, ended a 10-day-old war with a compromise peace which Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau would boost confidence in the economy.

It had before. It amended some parts of Ottawa's energy policy, announced last October, against which Alberta retaliated by slashing its production by 15 percent.

Rance warns U.S. on interest rates

NEW YORK, Sept. 2 (AFP) — French Foreign Minister Claude Cheysson said in an interview published here that, if United States maintained very high interest rates, "the social unrest in Europe is going to be a real threat to our common defense."

ment, unconscious of this risk for months, seemed almost surprised to see the subject being raised at the summit meeting in Ottawa. Referring to the role of French diplomacy, Cheysson believed that, in cases where France could help to settle differences, "Our intention is never to work alone."

BP strikes record in tax payment

LONDON, Sept. 2 (R) — British Petroleum (BP) — has handed government revenue collectors £910 million sterling (\$1.69 billion), which it considers the biggest single tax payment ever made anywhere in the world.

The payout covered part of BP's tax bill for the first six months of 1981 on its earnings from North Sea oil production. BP, among the world's top seven oil multinationals, operates the Forties field, largest in the British sector of the North Sea.

It calculates that 90 percent of North Sea profits go in tax and that its own tax bill for the year ended in June, including Tuesday payment, will run close to £2 billion (\$3.75 billion).

Stockbroker analysts predict that BP profits for the April-June quarter, due Thursday, will be down on levels for the second quarter of 1980, partly because of its tax burden.

Oil companies, including the state-owned BP, have campaigned for a thorough review of oil tax policy, arguing that the size of the levy and frequent tax changes — eight in the past 18 months — are discouraging exploration.

Other factors including the present oil glut have influenced the companies. But according to BP chairman Sir David Steel: "The cost of current taxes and uncertainty about their future is affecting development decisions." The operators' association wrote to the government last month saying it hoped it would complete its review of tax policy before inviting companies to bid for licences to explore any new sector of the North Sea.

FAO sees increase in cereal output

ROME, Sept. 2 (R) — World cereal production is set to recover this year after two years of had harvests while trade in grains is expected to hit record levels, the U.N. Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) said.

FAO's monthly report raised its estimate for world cereal output this year to between 1.48 and 1.54 million tons, an increase of between 45 and 100 million tons on last year's figure. But cereal supplies will increase moderately in 1981/82 because stocks are low and may be hard to replenish, it said.

The report said rising demand was expected to absorb most of the increase in production. But many crops were still vulnerable to weather developments and the larger supplies forecast were still not guaranteed, it said.

Rioting Pakistani steelmen fired on

KARACHI, Sept. 2 (R) — Police opened fire Wednesday on hundreds of workers demonstrating outside a steel mill near Karachi where Soviet technicians work, police sources said.

They said at least two protestors were wounded in the firing at the Karachi steel mill, about 25 miles (40 km) from Karachi. About 800 Soviet engineers and other technicians work at the mill, the first in Pakistan, which was only formally opened by President Zia-ul-Haq two days ago.

London Commodities

Table with columns: Commodity, Wednesday, Thursday. Includes Gold, Silver, Copper, Tin, Lead, Zinc, Aluminium, Nickel, Sugar, Coffee, Cocoa, and U.S. Dollar.

Dollar suffers setback

JEDDAH, Sept. 2 — The American dollar closed slightly weaker in New York Tuesday night, but general market expectations is that U.S. dollar interest rates will remain high for some time to come.

1,8400, but fell Wednesday to 1.8370. The French franc gained some ground to be quoted at 5.8375 Wednesday, a 400 points improvement over New York closing levels of 5.8745.

On the local exchanges, Wednesday saw a quieter day compared to the burst of hectic activity that followed the dollar's rise Tuesday. Riyal deposit rates fluctuated throughout most of Wednesday, with falls in the short days by close of business.

On the European exchanges, the dollar's climbs was temporarily checked Wednesday as markets tried to digest economic and political implications of news coming into the market. Gold prices rose to \$432.00 levels on news of South African entanglement with Russia advisers in Angola.

Eurodollar interest rates continued to hold their own on the financial markets, and there were some firming of rates in the longer tenors taking one-year deposits to 18 1/8 3/16 — 8 18 7/16 percent.

On the exchange markets, local riyal/dollar spot rates were traded quietly at levels of 3.4190-00 on opening and at 3.4185-95 by late afternoon. The drop in rates was due to the slightly weakening dollar on the European exchange markets.

U.K. industry urges tax cuts

LONDON, Sept. 2 (AP) — The Confederation of British Industry, representing big business, urged Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher Wednesday to cut corporate taxes and reflate the economy with a "modest stimulus" of £6 billion (\$11 billion) over the next four years.

The CBI drew a distinction between its proposals and the £24-billion (\$44-billion) plan for the "reconstruction of Britain" put forward last month by the Trades Union Congress.

The CBI said its proposals would create 750,000 new jobs. Without such action, it claimed, unemployment which is already 2.94 million or 12.2 percent, would rise until 1985.

Pennock said the TUC plan "would blow the top off the economy, and lead in the end to more unemployment, not less." The employers said that unlike Britain's unions, they favor continued membership of the European Economic Community.

Launching an "agenda for recovery," CBI president Sir Raymond Pennock, said: "The CBI stands four-square behind the government in the battle against inflation, which we still regard as a no. 1 priority. But we believe the time has now come to provide a modest stimulus to get the economy moving again, which can be achieved without a return to inflation."

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The employers' organization asserted that "industry and commerce have so far borne the brunt of the recession," it called for tax cuts and lower energy costs for industry — a shift in government spending to public works such as roads, ports, railways and sewers, and a tougher approach to Japanese imports.

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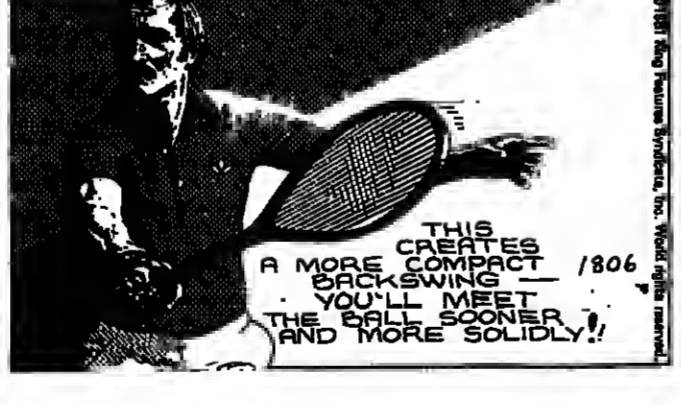
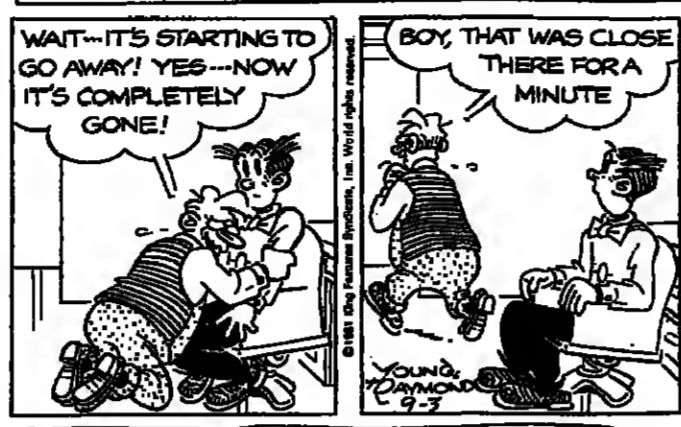
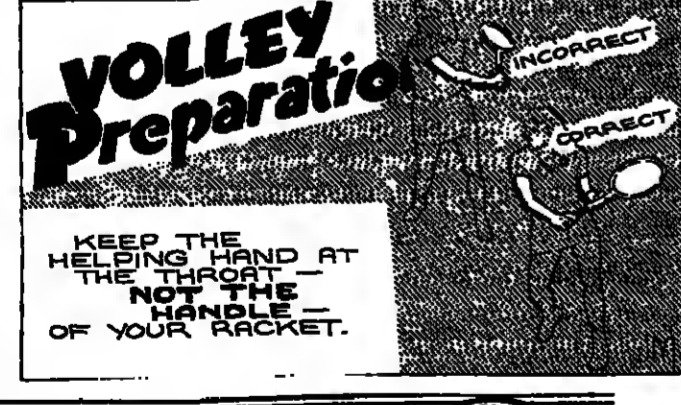
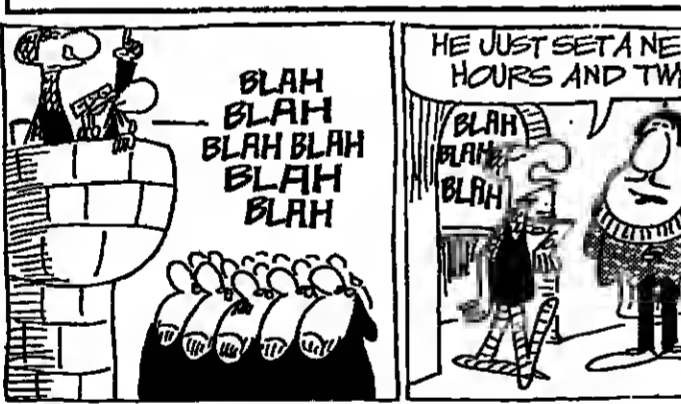
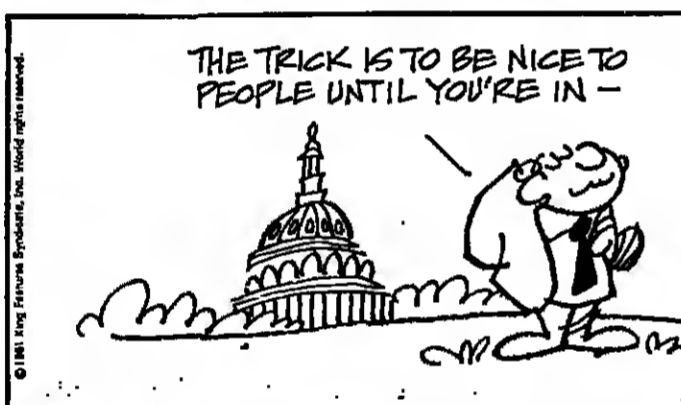
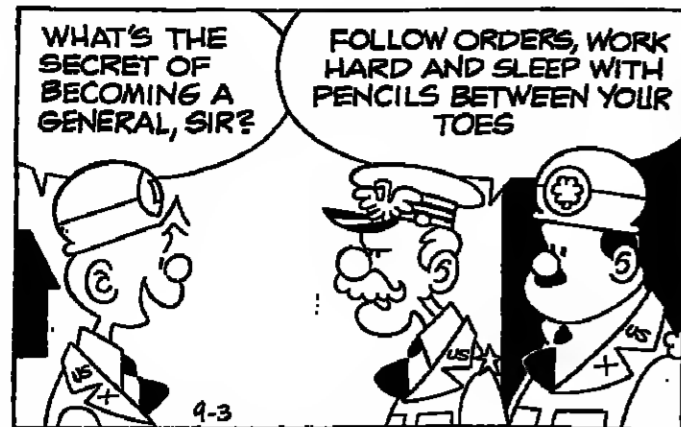
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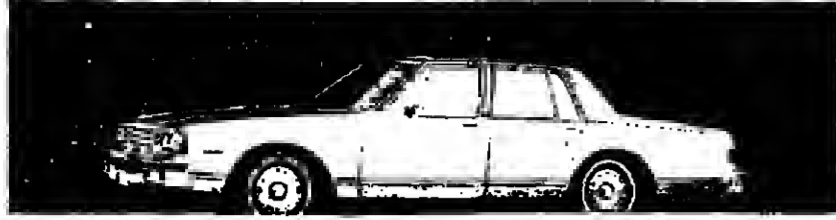
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Angola may seek outside help

U.N. meets on Namibia today

UNITED NATIONS, Sept. 2 (R) — The United Nations General Assembly meets in an emergency special session Thursday to consider African demands for sanctions against South Africa. Planned months ago despite the "emergency" tag, the session is expected to end with a sharp indictment of South Africa for failing to grant independence to Namibia (Southwest Africa).

The meeting has been given added urgency by a South African decision to send troops deep into Angola last week to hit bases used by Namibian guerrillas in a 15-year-old bush war. South Africa has refused to relinquish its hold on Namibia despite strong international pressure. A 1966 U.N. vote stripped Pretoria of its old League of Nations mandate to administer the former German colony.

African states are especially bitter following a U.S. vote Monday vetoing a U.N. Security Council resolution which sought to con-

demn South Africa for the strike into Angola. U.S., British and French vetoes last April saved South Africa from economic sanctions, prompting the convening of the emergency session, which is expected to last about seven days.

The three Western governments succeeded in blocking sanctions because the demand was then pressed in the 15-nation Security Council, where they have veto rights. The council is the only U.N. body with power to enforce decisions. While the 154-nation General Assembly is expected to endorse the sanctions call, its vote will have no mandatory effect.

Diplomatic observers believe the real purpose of the African states in pressing for the special session was to put pressure on a five-nation Western "contact group" which is trying to persuade South Africa to accept a U.N. independence plan. The contact group, con-

sisting of the United States, Britain, Canada, France and West Germany, was rebuffed at a U.N. conference in Geneva last January when South Africa accused the U.N. of bias and refused to set a handover date.

Since then, the Western nations have sought to make the plan more acceptable to South Africa by adding constitutional guarantees for whites and other minority groups. The contact group split in Monday's Security Council vote, with the United States voting against censuring South Africa, France voting in favor and Britain abstaining.

In London, officials said the Western mediation effort was continuing, and that foreign ministers of the five nations would meet at the United Nations in late September to consider further moves toward an independence settlement.

African countries distrust any attempt to diverge from the original independence plan as enshrined in Security Council resolution 435 of 1978. They also fear South Africa may try for a self-rule settlement on terms that would make Namibia a South African client state. The territory has a population of one million.

Meanwhile, Angola said Wednesday conditions have been created for it to invoke a United Nations Charter provision giving countries under attack the right to "individual or collective self-defense." The official Angolan news agency Angop, quoting a cabinet statement, did not specify whether the government meant it could now call in the help of outside countries. Cuba has troops stationed in Angola.

A cabinet statement issued in Luanda said the United States' veto of a U.N. Security Council resolution condemning South Africa's incursion into Angola had created conditions for Angola to fall back on Article 51 of the U.N. Charter, Angop said. This guarantees the right of countries under armed attack to "individual or collective self-defense" until the Security Council has taken measures "to maintain international peace and security."

Angola's U.N. representative warned Monday that Angola might invoke the article after the United States vetoed condemnation of South Africa in a Security Council vote.



TEXAS FLOODING: Motorists wind their way through a flooded street of Hallettsville Monday. A slow-moving low pressure system is causing the heavy flooding in the south central Texas area.

Captured Soviet identified

JOHANNESBURG, Sept. 2 (Agencies) — Two Soviet lieutenant colonels were among Soviet soldiers killed during South Africa's invasion of Angola, a defense force spokesman said. The spokesman also identified a captured Soviet sergeant.

A South African officer, meanwhile, told a pool of foreign television reporters the invasion force had cleared of weapons in an area 150 kms deep into Angola. The foreign reporters were taken to the northern border area of Southwest Africa (Namibia) to witness the withdrawal of the South African force from an invasion begun Aug. 24.

One of the pool reporters said he saw more than 100 captured Russian trucks about 50 tanks and one truck carrying the remains of South African helicopter that had been shot down. The reporter said these vehicles, plus South African vehicles, were heading south to Southwest Africa.

Angola's ambassador to France said in a news conference in Paris Wednesday that some Soviets may have been killed in the invasion, but Luis Jose D'Almeida said it was no secret that the Soviets were there

helping Angola. D'Almeida warned that Angola might invoke its mutual defense treaty with the Soviet Union and Cuba if the United Nations does not pressure South Africa into withdrawing.

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Bangladesh rejects mercy petitions

DACCA, Sept. 2 (AFP) — Bangladesh authorities have rejected mercy petitions filed by 12 army officers sentenced to death last month by a general court-martial for the murder of President Ziaur Rahman and the murder in Chittagong, the Bengali daily *Din* reported Wednesday.

The 12, ranging in rank from lieutenant to brigadier, face execution in a week's time. Two majors were still in hiding, with cash rewards for their capture announced. It was not known whether they had been tried in absentia.

The paper quoted informed sources as saying that jail authorities in Chittagong Jessor.

Comilla, Rajshahi and Mymensingh — where the convicted officers have been held since the end of their trial in Chittagong last July — had been informed of the ruling on the mercy appeals made to acting President Justice Abdus Sattar, who is also the armed forces' supreme commander.

The sources added that jail officials had conveyed the government's decision to families of the convicts and were arranging last meetings between them. The general court-martial announced its judgment to the accused officers and their relatives on Aug. 11.

Swastikas in cemetery

VIENNA, Sept. 2 (AP) — A great number of paper-made swastikas were thrown on Vienna's Jewish cemetery shortly after the city's Jewish community buried a young woman killed in a raid near the synagogue, police disclosed Wednesday.

Ulrike Kobout, 25, was killed last Saturday by gunfire as she shielded a small boy in the attack on the synagogue. The remains of another victim were flown for burial to Israel. A police officer said the swastikas cut from newspapers were found Tuesday morning and that investigations continued.

Polish party, Solidarity plan separate strategies

WARSAW, Sept. 2 (R) — Poland's Communist rulers and the leaders of the Solidarity trade union held separate meetings in Warsaw and Gdansk Wednesday mapping out strategy on the issues which divide them.

A new printers' strike broke out in the southern city of Rzeszow and printers continued a 15-day stoppage in Olsztyn. The official news agency PAP reported that prosecutors had indicated two Solidarity activists on charges which included insulting the Soviet Union. Prosecutors had also complained about Solidarity's behavior in the city of Bydgoszcz.

The plenary session of the Communist Party's central committee concentrated on worker self-management, on which there are big differences between the party and Solidarity. Speakers at the session also lashed out at the union's so-called extremists. Solidarity's national commission was meeting to consider how to break the deadlock in its battle for some editorial say over television coverage of its congress, beginning Saturday.

The union's outspoken *Warsaw News Bulletin* welcomed Tuesday night's television and radio broadcast by Walesa and other Solidarity leaders but said this was only a first step. The government has granted the union two successive broadcasts this week prior to its congress but it is refusing to yield on the principle of editorial control.

Solidarity has complained repeatedly that it gets a bad press in the official media, but the Communist Party newspaper *Trybuna Ludu* said Wednesday the union really sought to dominate the mass media. It said the aim was to eliminate all media criticism of the union and added that Solidarity was also seeking the right to publish material which harmed Poland's Soviet bloc alliances.

Trybuna Ludu referred to the case of *Wolny Zwiazkowice* (the free unionist), the Solidarity bulletin at the Katowice steel works closed down for printing anti-Soviet material. PAP

said the bulletin's editor, Asek Cieslicki, has been indicated for publishing a text and drawings insulting to Soviet leader Leonid Brezhnev. The bulletin featured a cartoon of a bear whose face bore a resemblance to the Soviet leader.

The Solidarity branch at the huge steel mill, built with Soviet assistance, decided to hold a referendum on the dismissal of their director when he refused to reopen the bulletin. The branch said Wednesday polling of the 20,000 workers would take place on Sept. 7 and 8 in spite of objections by local and national Communist officials.

PAP reported prosecutors had also indicted the Solidarity leader of the Sosnowiec coal mine, Wojciech Figiel, and seven others in connection with the conduct during a strike there on Aug.

Brezhnev visit to Bonn fixed

BONN, Sept. 2 (AFP) — The visit of Soviet head of state Leonid Brezhnev to West Germany will take place at the end of November, West German government spokesman Kurt Becker confirmed here Wednesday. He said the exact dates would be announced simultaneously in Moscow and Bonn soon.

It will be Brezhnev's first visit to the West since the Soviet intervention in Afghanistan in December, 1979. Political circles here said for Chancellor Helmut Schmidt, the visit represents West Germany's active efforts to safeguard detente despite "sharpened tensions following the coup in Kabul and the Soviet military buildup around Poland" early this year.

Observers said Bonn also hopes the visit will advance Schmidt's support for an "approximate balance" of military forces in Europe and a rapid opening of U.S.-Soviet negotiations on Euro-missiles.

Confirmation of Brezhnev's visit ended speculation that the trip might be postponed following heavy criticism of Schmidt by the Soviet news agency Tass Monday. The agency accused him of becoming a mouthpiece for the American administration and fueling anti-Communist propaganda after Schmidt said that the trip might be postponed following heavy criticism of Schmidt by the Soviet news agency Tass Monday. The agency accused him of becoming a mouthpiece for the American administration and fueling anti-Communist propaganda after Schmidt said that the West German pacifist movement was in Moscow's pay.

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Walesa urges end to polemics

WARSAW, Sept. 2 (AP) — Lech Walesa, leader of the independent Union Solidarity, told millions of Poles over the state-run radio and television Tuesday it is time to stop "stupid polemics" and pledged that the labor federation does not seek to seize power.

"If there are problems we should sit down and talk," the mustachioed union leader said during a 20-minute program heard over national radio and shown on Polish television. "Let's stop polemics and rescue the situation. There is no time for stupid polemics, no time for accusing us of wanting to take over power," he said, "because we don't want power. We want to serve the community."

Walesa's statements, which appeared to be basically conciliatory, were contrasted by tougher words from three other union leaders who appeared with him.

U.S. pays \$1.1m to Japan shipowner

TOKYO, Sept. 2 (AP) — The United States paid 255 million yen (\$1.1 million) in compensation Wednesday to the owner of the Japanese freighter *Nissho Maru* which sank in a collision with the submarine *USS George Washington* last April. Japan's Kyodo news service reported.

Kyodo said the money was paid after six rounds of negotiations between lawyers for Katsuna Kain K.K. and William H. Ise, chief official of judicial affairs of the U.S. Navy headquarters in Japan.

Last month the United States paid 86 million yen (\$374,000) in compensation to the family of Sumio Matsunaga, 42, who died in the collision in the East China Sea. Matsunaga was the first mate of the 2,350-ton *Nissho Maru*. Ise and Japanese lawyers are still negotiating compensation for 13 survivors and the bereaved family of Capt. Taizo Noguchi, 51, as well as the owner of the cargo lost with the freighter, Kyodo said.

U.S. Ambassador Mike Mansfield personally delivered a final report on the mishap to Foreign Minister Sunao Sonoda Monday, in which the U.S. government said that "inadequate command supervision" and "extraordinary" coincidence caused the incident.

The incident became a major controversy in U.S.-Japan relations because the nuclear-powered submarine left the scene of the collision without attempting to rescue the crew of the *Nissho Maru* and did not report the accident until the following day, after surviving 13 crew members were rescued by a Japanese destroyer.

Soviet citizen sneaks into American Embassy

MOSCOW, Sept. 2 (AFP) — A Soviet citizen Wednesday sneaked past Soviet guards and into the United States Embassy compound here, in the second such incident in six days, U.S. sources said. Once inside, the man, who was not identified, asked to speak to a member of the embassy's consular staff, whose duties included granting visas, the sources said. They did not say whether the person had requested a visa.

The man left the embassy voluntarily at 9:30 a.m., an hour after he went in. Last Friday, a Soviet woman, Natalya Nazarova, and her son, Vassily Nazarov, used a car to force their way into the embassy, and spent three-and-a-half hours complaining to embassy officials about what they charged was Soviet official injustice toward them.

Quake rocks Tokyo

TOKYO, Sept. 2 (R) — A moderate earthquake registering about six on the open-ended Richter Scale shook Tokyo and surrounding areas Wednesday, but there were no immediate reports of damage or casualties, the Meteorological Agency said.

Portugal cabinet takes office Friday

LISBON, Sept. 2 (R) — Portugal's new center-right government will be sworn in on Friday. Prime Minister-designate Francisco Pinto Balsemao said Wednesday. The Social Democrat (PSD) leader made the announcement to reporters after an hour-long meeting with President Antonio Ramalho Eanes.

The president formally approved a cabinet list Pinto Balsemao submitted Tuesday. The new coalition government of Social Democrats, Christian Democrats (CDS) and Monarchists (PPM) replaces an administration, also led by Pinto Balsemao, which collapsed earlier this month.

The moderate PSD leader resigned, as prime minister in the face of "SRP criticism from the right-wing of his party and the conservative CDS. But no alternative leader emerged in the ruling Democratic Alliance

and Pinto Balsemao's critics eventually agreed he should form a new administration.

The Christian Democrats have a stronger position in the new cabinet. CDS leader Diogo Freitas do Amaral, who refused to serve in Pinto Balsemao's first administration, becomes deputy prime minister and defense minister. His party colleagues control other key ministries, covering trade, industry, agriculture and social affairs.

The Social Democrat star in the new government is Finance and Planning Minister Joao Salgueiro, who has been given wide powers over the government's main spending departments. The 47-year-old economist has been given the title of minister of state to emphasize his importance and will take over responsibility for negotiating Portugal's entry to the European Economic Community (EEC).

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